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Today

Having and Keeping
1,000,000 Flu Cases
New Bonfire Starts
Dry "Influence"

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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IF CHILDREN are worth having, they are worth keeping. Athens, Ga., believes that they are worth having and keeping. Health Commissioner Bagby sends this interesting telegram:

"Results of child health demonstration of commonwealth fund during period of five years show number of deaths of white children under 15 per year for five years' demonstration period, lower by 50 per cent than in the four years before the demonstration."

This is a wasteful world, and ours is the most wasteful, extravagant nation on the earth. The worst of all waste is the waste of child life.

Public health officials in Washington say that 1 per cent of the population has influenza, a million cases throughout the United States. And "the peak of the epidemic has not been reached."

Get plenty of fresh air, eat moderately, drink plenty of fresh water, not iced, keep away from crowds and keep cheerful. That's about all the advice you can get.

When Henry Ford started his "Ford Motors, Limited," company, to build Ford cars in Britain for all Europe, he little thought he was starting a new speculative bonfire in Wall Street.

The sales of his stock yesterday, above 400,000 shares, constituted one-quarter of all the business done on the curb stock exchange.

To make things more interesting, Mr. Ford's Canadian company went up $72 a share.

Next time Ford will arrange it so that those to whom he benevolently sells stock for $5 a share won't be able to get rid of it for a year or two at least.

The British, according to Ford's plan, were to own 40 per cent of his British company. They own little of it now, the Americans having bought it away from them at a profit of more than 300 per cent, buying the stock for more than four times what Ford charged them for it.

Mr. Durant has given his $25,000 prize to Major Chester P. Mills, formerly federal prohibition administrator in New York.

Mr. Mills suggests that the enforcement of prohibition be removed from "influence." It is a good suggestion, but hardly worth $25,000.

Put men in jail that buy from bootleggers and you will discourage bootlegging. But that would not suit the eminently respectable gentlemen that buy from the bootleggers.

Lura Fraser is dead in Hannibal, Missouri, aged 91.

That will interest many when they are told that Lura Fraser was the Lura Hawkins who used to play with Mark Twain 80 years ago.

She is the Becky of "Tom Sawyer."

President Coolidge will settle for a short rest on Howard Coffin's place in the sunshine of the Georgia coast.

Herbert Hoover is hurrying back to Washington, omitting for the present his visit to Florida, to get ready for March 4.

Washington predicts that Dwight Morrow will be Secretary of State. Mr. Morrow's success in Mexico would make that seem reasonable. But predicting for Mr. Hoover is dangerous.

It was a cheerful day in Wall Street, for those that lend money. Interest on "call money" rose to 12 per cent, the highest in a year.

The "squeeze" in money, predicted for the year's end, seems to have arrived.

Henry Ford, who probably has never seen Wall Street in his life, says "there is nothing new under the sun! Motors, airplanes, radios are no more new than "a dinosaur's egg."

Mr. Ford thinks civilizations very ancient had flying machines, automobiles, etc. At least, he is quoted to that effect.

He's mistaken; the flying machine existed in men's imagination, not elsewhere.

The first flying machine that ever flew on this earth was the Wright brothers'.

On other planets other "men" fly, undoubtedly.

They have flown on Mars, perhaps, for ten million years. But here it is new.

The United States air mail has set a new record for speed, traveling from Dallas, Tex., to Chicago in 6 hours 42 minutes, a good deal of the time at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF MILES A MINUTE. Thanks are due the postoffice for really developing American aviation.

Rum Buyer Fined $200 as Conspirator

CITY COUNCIL ACTS ON SUNDAY SPORTS BILL

REDUCED RATE IN NEW BILL TO BE OFFSET BY SMALLER EXEMPTION

A reduction of the State income tax rate for those earning small salaries, and increases for individuals in the high-salary classes, are provided for in a bill drafted by a special recess commission on taxation and announced today.

Although the bill calls for a reduced rate for low-salaried individuals, it also provides for a reduction in the personal exemptions, single men facing a cut in this particular from $2000 to $1000, and married men from $2500 to $2000.

The outstanding feature of the proposed law is, however, the sliding scale of taxation, the rate increasing as net income advances.

The bill as a whole constitutes a thorough revamping of the Massachusetts income tax law, affecting individuals, owners of businesses and corporations.

It will be submitted to the Supreme Court for a ruling on its constitutionality. If found to be un-

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Real 'Wife' After Body of Hubby

The body of Samuel Kramer, 45-pound New York man, who was killed in an auto crash at North Wilbraham on his way back home from a Boston "honeymoon," was demanded of Massachusetts authorities today by a New York woman, claiming to be Kramer's "real wife."

With Kramer at the time of the fatal accident was a girl who was travelling as his bride. She called herself Mrs. Leah Kramer. She was dangerously injured and is now believed to be dying at the Wilbraham Hospital, Palmer.

The New York woman's message came by long distance telephone.

The woman told Medical Examiner Frederick D. Jones of Springfield that she married Kramer "years ago." She said their home was in Perth Amboy, N. J., though

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BUYER OF LIQUOR FINED

Philadelphia, Dec. 27 (AP)—Alfred E. Norris, New York broker, today was fined $200 on a charge of conspiracy to violate the federal prohibition laws in the transportation of liquor.

The fine was imposed by Judge William H. Kirkpatrick in the Federal District Court after handing down a decision that a purchaser of liquor is guilty of violating the law if transportation enters into the agreement to buy.

"It is the clear intent of Congress," said the decision, "that the punishment for transporting liquor shall be by fine only. In this case

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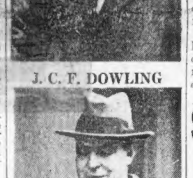
In Sports War

J. C. F. DOWLING



SAMUEL HOAR

Fin. Com. chairman and attorney for Charles F. Adams, Braves' vice-president, who conferred today on Sunday sports "bribe" charges. As result of conference Adams has agreed to testify to charges at Fin. Com. probe.

CITY COUNCILLORS FLAY CRITICS AS THEY TAKE UP SUNDAY BALL BILL

By BERT FORD

The City Council today removed the Sunday Sports Bill from the table and began debate upon its passage soon after Charles F. Adams, Boston Braves vice-president, agreed to testify next Wednesd before the Finance Commission on his charge that a councillor solicited a bribe in connection with the ratification.

The agreement with Adams was reached in the judges' lobby of Supreme Court, but after reaching the agreement, a conference was held in Finnance Commission headquarters and it was decided to hold the hearing at 2:30 p. m. next Wednesday.

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GREENE TO ANSWER 'PAL' SUIT QUESTIONS

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—Five questions must be answered and correspondence and other papers produced by Edwin Farnham Greene of Boston in an examination, before trial of a suit against him by Mrs. Lelia G. Trudel of New York, demanding $376,500 for his alleged failure to keep a written agreement to maintain her for life.

This decision was made today by Supreme Court Justice Churchill. Examination will take place before a notary on January 10.

HARKNESS WOULD GIVE 10 MILLION TO HARVARD

Edward S. Harkness of New York revealed today as the anonymous donor of $2,000,000 to Harvard for a "college within a college" experiment, stands ready to give up to $10,000,000 for furtherance of this plan, it was said today by individuals connected with the university's management.

Construction of the first building of this experimental group will begin soon, near the freshman dormitories. The students appear to be divided in their opinions on the scheme.

Reports as to the identity of the donor were confirmed today by Mrs. Frederick Deane of Marlborough st., daughter of Charles Allerton Coolidge, one of the overseers of Harvard University.

The gift of Harkness, who is a graduate of Yale, was announced by President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard last month as coming from

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SHARKEY'S MANAGER LOSES IN $5000 SUIT

Worcester, Dec. 27 (AP)—Jack Sharkey's manager, John T. Buckley of Cambridge, was assessed $5000 by a jury in Superior Court here today in the suit of Charles Peskin of Worcester.

Peskin, an instructor in North Brookfield high school, sought $25,000 damages for personal injuries suffered November 22, 1926, when a car operated by Buckley struck his car in Washington sq. here.

Peskin was unconscious four days.

Jugoslavian King Is in Bed With Cold

Vienna, Dec. 27 (AP)—Reports received in Vienna today from Belgrade state that King Alexander of Jugoslavia has taken to his bed with a serious cold. His physicians have forbidden his public engagements.

The Vienna Tageblatt says a chill he suffered was mild.

Brokers' Ex-Clerk Is Held in $15,000

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—Cornelius Murray, 25, Rockville Center, former check clerk for Hambleton & Company, brokers, was held in $15,000 bail today on a charge of grand larceny.

Alexander M. Mackay, treasurer of the brokerage firm, alleged Murray deposited only $276,423.15 of the $278,923 in cash and checks given him to deposit in a bank, and that Murray admitted also theft of $43,000 to 44,000, using the money to speculate in stocks.

MORE FLU DEATHS ARE REPORTED IN 58 CITIES

Washington, Dec. 27 (AP)—Fifty-eight cities today reported to the census bureau that 710 deaths from influenza occurred during the week ended December 22. The figures compared with 475 deaths from influenza in 62 cities during the previous week.

Cities reporting for the week ended December 22 include: Pittsburg, 64; Toledo, 27; New Orleans, 37; Philadelphia, 34; Denver, 50; Des Moines, 19; Detroit, 22; Duluth, 8; Grand Rapids, 16; Houston, 71, Indianapolis, 16; Kansas City, Mo., 20; Akron, 18; Albany, 7; Atlanta, 30; Baltimore, 8; Chicago, 80; Cleveland, 25; Columbus, O., 10; Mi

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U. S. TREASURY BALANCE

Washington, Dec. 27—Today's balance, $294,147,766. U. S. Customs receipts, $35,176,653.

5 GABBERS QUIT RACE

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—After 43 hours and 375 volumes of polygot and classic gibberish 24 contestants today were tied and some were tongue-tied for the lead in New York's big "gab Marathon."

Four talkers dropped out of con-

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Bank Statement

Boston balance	$28,000,000
Boston clearance	23,000,000
New York balance....	129,000,000
New York clearance...	1,425,000,000

JAIL AND FINES FOR 11 IN ALBANY BALL POOL

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—Eleven defendants indicted after the government's investigation of the Albany baseball and stock market pool pleaded guilty today to use of the mails to defraud and were sentenced by Federal Judge Francis A. Winslow.

James Otto and Walker J. Kane, alleged partners of William J. Pringle, recently sentenced to 18 months in Atlanta for using the mails to promote a lottery, were sentenced to a year and a day each on each of 13 counts, the sentences to run concurrently. An another count sentences of two years each were imposed, but the operation to begin upon release of the defendants

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THE WEATHER

Rain; moderate temperature; northwest winds.

High tide: 11:15 a. m.; 11:35 p. m.

Sun rises, 7:13; sets, 4:18.

Light all vehicles at 4:48 p. m.

$1000 REWARD FOR TRAIN WRECKERS

Los Angeles, Dec. 27 (INS)—A reward of $1000 for the arrest of persons responsible for the wreck of "The Missionary," crack Los Angeles-Chicago passenger train, in which 30 passengers are believed to have been injured, was posted today by the Santa Fe Railroad.

RACE RESULTS AT NEW ORLEANS

1—Blandris 11.00, Chris Paschen 24.60, Nae Breeks 13

AT HAVANA

1—Manwell 7-5, Happy Jack 1-1, Basha 1-3

LOCAL ADVERTISING

GAINS TODAY

This issue of the Boston Evening American that you have in your hands gained

18

columns of retail stores advertising over the corresponding issue of last year.

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England

50 TICKETS DAILY GIVEN FREE!

WATCH THE CLASSIFIED COLUMNS OF THE BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN

TODAY, every day on the next to last pages FOR YOUR NAME

If it appears in these columns bring the paper to Mr. CONNORS, room 450, Boston American office, 5 Winthrop Square, and receive

FREE TICKET

entitling you to a $1.50 orchestra seat for a performance OF

THE END OF ST. PETERSBURG

A Russian Film Classic AT SYMPHONY HALL DEC. 30 to JAN. 6

Member Federal Reserve System

Interest Begins Jan. 2

A Shock Absorber

Money in the bank will smooth the road —and give you the constant security of having something to fall back on in case of trouble.

BEACON TRUST COMPANY

31 Milk Street
199 Washington Street
89 State Street
Boston, Mass.

RICH RICHARD says:

A bright future is not reflected by the money burned up in the past.

1929 Christmas Club Now Open

FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK

6 Park Sq., Boston
Interest begins Jan. 1

Join today our 1929 CHRISTMAS CLUB

Home Savings Bank
75 Tremont St. Boston

AUTO INSURANCE

Monthly Payments

TUNE IN, WBZ, 6:54, TONIGHT

INSURANCE FINANCE CORP.
100 Milk St. Liberty 6293

READ THE Boston Evening American Movie Directory For Tonight's Show in Your Neighborhood Theatre

Rupert Hughes' "Carter and Daughter"—{a Six-Day Thriller}—Begins Monday in the American

COUNCILLORS ACT ON SUNDAY SPORTS BILL AT MEETING TODAY

ADAMS TO TESTIFY AT FIN. COM.

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The postponement decision came less than an hour before the City Council began consideration of the professional Sunday sports bill, ratification of which was predicted by several councillors before the meeting began at City Hall.

Consideration of the bill came in the council when a motion by Councillor Frederic Dowling to move the matter up from fifth position on the calendar to immediate consideration was adopted without comment.

Councillor Dowling then launched into an address on the measure, during which he severely criticized Adams and those of the public who have assailed the councillors for slow action on the sports measure.

PREDICTS VICTORY

The Finance Commission hearing next week will be public, it was stated by Secretary Robert Cunniff. Present at the conference in the "fin. com." headquarters were Sec. Cunniff, Chairman John C. Lodwig, Commissioners Courtenay Guild, John Joseph A. Sheehan and John F. Moors, and Atty. Hoar, counsel for Adams.

Prediction that the Sunday sports measure would be ratified was made by Councillors Dowling, Michael J. Ward and Israel Ruby, the first three councillors to appear for the meeting.

They said they would be surprised if it did not pass by a unanimous vote, but they declared there would be considerable discussion on the measure before a vote was taken.

After Councillor Dowling had succeeded in having the measure removed from the table he rose and said:

"There apparently has been a great deal of misunderstanding and controversy concerning the Sunday sports bill. I wish, if I may, to be permitted to explain chronologically the record and history of the bill since it was submitted to the public.

"The bill was voted on November 6 by the people. I did not see a copy of it until the day before Christmas. Charles F. Adams, in a statement printed in the newspapers, said that he thought it should have been acted on seven weeks ago.

"The official announcement of the passage of the bill was not made until December 5, three weeks ago, but Mr. Adams, who is active in managing baseball clubs, seems to think it should have been put through immediately.

ADAMS INTERESTED

"An attempt was made to railroad it through this body after suspension of the rules, one of the sharpest parliamentary practices known. I moved that it be laid on the table and action was taken by a vote of 11 to 9 and that is what all this hullabaloo is about.

"Not a sane, reasonable man within hearing of my voice, and there are several hear who are hearing, could read that act once and could give a good digest of it or a worthwhile opinion of the Sunday Sports law.

"If I read it here you might think it was the valedictory address of a graduate of a state insane hospital. There is no reason in it. There is no sense in it, and I couldn't give you the remotest idea of what it is about.

"After ten hectic days in which there have been statements and recriminations, we still have with us the Sunday Sports law."

Councillor Dowling then picked up a pamphlet and said:

"I have here a copy of the pamphlet of the Outdoor Recreation League of Massachusetts. On Page 5 is contained the names of those connected with this organization and not one of them has indicated a particle of interest. The executive of Charles F. Adams, who is interested in various professional sporting organizations.

"Until it came into the Council we were getting along fairly well both on the fourth floor and on the second floor.

"We were a fairly happy family. No one except His Excellency the Governor was paying any attention to the habits of the unwashed.

"What a moving picture; what a entertaining, nerve-wracking, four-reel thriller we have had in the past ten days, just because Charles F. Adams of Framingham and other remote places, can smack, shouting: 'Stop this; I've been robbed.'

AGAIN RAPS ADAMS

"Oh, for a Sennett, or a Griffith, or a Hammerstein, to film this travesty and a Warner to supply the accompaniment with Vitaphone.

"I don't know Charles F. Adams, professional sports promoter, and I don't want to know him. I do know, however, that he is not actively interested in the moral welfare and health and the happiness or the religious training of more than 100,000 boys who go to the public playgrounds to engage in healthful recreation, because I have never heard of him being on a public playground.

"If the political pamphlet he, Adams, and his associates sent to the voters of Massachusetts in support of the Sunday sports law, is a fair thing on which to base an estimate of the sincerity and straightforwardness of Charles F. Adams, he is a demagog and a charlatan, for that pamphlet was a cunningly devised and befogging appeal to the voters who might easily be influenced in favor of opening up the public playgrounds to the children and amateur athletes on Sunday, allowing them to take up collections and otherwise obtain money with which to carry on their harmless sports and games."

They Pray in Thanks Because It Is to Be Dammed

NEVADANS GATHER AT RIVER TO REJOICE WHEN COOLIDGE SIGNS

When news that President Coolidge had signed the Boulder Dam bill reached Los Vegas, Nev., nearest town to the dam site, 400 citizens gathered at the Colorado river and knelt while pastors of several denominations offered prayers of Thanksgiving as shown in this Associated Press photo.

GABBERS GO STRONG

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petition during the feverish activity of the hours between midnight and dawn.

Mme. Annette Barry, who takes her language seriously, retired to the sidelines because she was beginning to split infinitives.

Mlle. Mary Guimpere, the French has with the Bronx accent, stumbled over a few vowels and had to quit. May Shaw took a taxicab for home and bed when her tongue became lodged in a tooth cavity, and Signor Di Giurco, Italy's champ conversationalist, called a halt when news dispatches announced that Mussolini was no longer listening to the radio to hear how he was making out.

KEEP ON TILL SATURDAY.

The syllable-fest is scheduled to continue until Saturday midnight, that is if there is still a whisper left. One other contestant quit yesterday.

He was Loyal T. Lucas, and he went down into ignominious defeat in the estimation of the other contestants who seemed to grasp the sudden as a topic for additional conversation.

Although it might seem that most of the complaints would come from parched palates, tired tongues or throttled throats, the contestants were harping more on dreary "days."

It's a case of standing up for 75 minutes at a time, and while most of the entrants came prepared for long winded bursts of oratory, they did not figure so much on their feet, with the result that many are almost caved in from the long standing periods.

Crandall himself might be figured as being in on the contest when Ls begins to take a survey of the audience The attendance has been at a low ebb, but the professor is expecting the chatter fans in droves shortly, recalling how the people began all of a sudden to flock to his dance marathon.

The jargon joggers, arranged in oldtime fashion on individual platforms around the floor of the large 71st Regiment armory, can see the placard bearing the hourly standing of contestants very plainly. The view helps them fight off sleep while they gabble on and on with increasing weariness.

Some of them have decorated their platforms to individualize, they supposed might be of general interest, a number have pictures of themselves posted, and Dr. F. M. Wilkesbarre, who confesses to being a professor of supercology and a demi-god of the semi-damned, has a number of charts from which may be ascertained the general scheme of a solar system.

POET TALKS SONNETS

John Rose Gildea, a ham and egg poet from Cherrywein, Ulikan, has a bound volume of sonnets and a number of manuscripts in a slightly dog-eared condition. He recites poems and will, on occasion, discuss the Volstead act with much feeling.

To the disappointment of his supporters in Washington sq., Gildea crumpled before habit and took a nonce nap about noon today, but brightened up again at nightfall.

Discussion has already reared its ugly head among contestants. Complaint has been filed with Professor Crandall that Andrea De Cicco was not talking when he is howling through a kazoo. Miss Angelo Arango of Mexico City has no longer on speaking terms with Mme. Marie Guimpire of Paris, Ky. Their platforms adjoin. Miss Arango feels drafts with her ankles very easily, and it was her whimsy to talk in an evening gown and a pair of Russian boots. She overheard what the blonde La Guimpire said about them.

TALKS HIS MOUTH DRY

WORKING HARD FOR $1000

Allan D. Risley finds talking day and night in New York Marathon contest parches his mouth and tonsils, and this International Newsreel photo shows him having his mouth sprayed.

DYER STARTS ON FLIGHT HOME TO SAN DIEGO

Portland, Dec. 27 (AP)—Lieut. James H. Dyer, winner of the Herbert Schiff memorial trophy for safe flying this year, today took off from Portland airport on the first leg of his trip to his home port at San Diego.

Flying a navy observation plane, Lieut. Dyer headed northwest to Bunsford, his home town. He circled low over Rumford for about 10 minutes, dropping 1000 printed fliers, which read: "Rumford must have an airport."

Then he headed for Providence, where he planned to make his first stop. He expected to continue on to Washington this afternoon.

Revisionists In Session at Vienna

Vienna, Dec. 27 (AP)—Several hundred delegates from different parts of the world, including the United States, today attended the world conference of the Union of Zion Revisionists, which opened its three-day session here. The conference was addressed by Vladimir Subotinsky, leader of the revisionist movement. The meeting expressed opposition of the policies of Chiam Weitzman, president of the Zionist executive. The revisionists looked forward to the day when Jews would form a majority in Palestine.

Pick New Manager for Big Saco Mill

Saco, Me., Dec. 27 (AP)—Earl L. Richards of Whiting, Mass., today was appointed general manager of the York Manufacturing Company. Richards, who was named by the board of directors at a meeting in Boston, succeeds Walter B. Hall, who resigned.

Frederick C. McDuffee, president, and Daniel Thompson, assistant treasurer, were re-elected at the Boston meeting. The appointment of Richards was part of the reorganization plan approved by stockholders recently.

$12,000 New York Office for Former Hub Woman

Miss Frances Perkins, former Boston woman, was appointed today to the office of commissioner of labor at a $12,000 yearly salary under Governor-elect Roosevelt of New York.

Miss Perkins was born in Boston and received her public school education here. Her ofttimes stormy career in New York politics has been followed closely by her Massachusetts friends. She has spoken frequently before industrial gatherings and labor conventions in Boston, and she stumped the city for "Al" Smith during the latter's recent presidential campaign.

Miss Perkins is a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College. She did work in sociology and economics at Columbia and at the Universities of Pennsylvania and Chicago.

Although she uses her maiden name, Miss Perkins is the wife of Paul A. Wilson, former secretary to Mayor John F. Mitchell of New York.

Miss Perkins' prospective job as commissioner of labor for New York State will be the most important appointive position to be held by a woman under the Roosevelt regime.

Miss Perkins at present holds the position of chairman of the New York State industrial commission. She was appointed a member of that body by Governor Smith in 1919. Her selection was bitterly opposed at the time and was only confirmed after a hard-fought battle in the Senate. Business and industrial leaders accused her of "radical" ideas and leanings toward pro-labor sentimentality.

THREE MILLION HARVARD GIFT FROM HARKNESS

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an anonymous friend of the university.

Asked if the New York millionaire was the donor, Mrs. Deans said:

"That is perfectly correct. I understand that it is Mr. Harkness of New York, the same man who has given so much to Yale. I understand so from my father who is now undergoing three weeks' treatment and cannot communicate with anyone."

The experiment for which the gift will be used is a striking innovation on this side of the Atlantic and is even quite different from the English system which, at first appearance, it seems to copy, according to President Lowell.

The college-within-a-college plan is for establishment of a group of dormitories, dining halls and commons rooms to be conducted as a distinct educational and social unit within Harvard College, which is itself a unit in the group of graduate and undergraduate schools bearing the name Harvard University.

Harkness has given millions to Yale and it was his money that made it possible for his alma mater to provide a workshop for the noted Prof. George P. Baker, long Harvard's professor of dramatics, who quit Harvard for New Haven.

President Lowell has said that the proposed plan involves no change in methods of instruction, nor would the group of students be shut off from mingling with their fellow undergraduates.

It is, according to the Harvard president, simply a natural evolution of the tutorial system which has been in operation for a decade or more. Instead of merely having the guidance of the same tutor, a group of students will also live, dine and study together, but they will be no more restricted than at present in choice of studies.

Harkness is the son of one of the original partners of John D. Rockefeller. He inherited $36,000,000 in 1916 and $93,000,000 this year. His gifts have been to a variety of institutions, including medical schools and libraries.

RUM PURCHASER FINED $200 AS CONSPIRATOR

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the conspiracy element adds nothing by way of aggravation. The sentence imposed should not exceed that which would follow for conviction of transportation only."

In concluding, Judge Kirkpatrick said:

"A conviction may be had of a buyer and seller of liquor for conspiracy to transport liquor in a case where the agreement is that the delivery of the liquor will is to be effected by transportation from the seller to the buyer, and, that an order by a purchaser to a bootlegger located at a distance to deliver liquor, followed by transportation, delivery and payment is sufficient evidence of such an agreement."

Kiss-Slayer Taken to Jail

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Vincent Rice, 17-year-old Staten Island "Kiss Slayer," was taken to Sing Sing today to start serving a sentence of from 20 years to life for the murder of his sweetheart, Alice Joost, 15.

JAIL AND FINES FOR 11 ALBANY POOL MEN

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from Atlanta, is to be suspended during good behavior.

John Otto, Sr., got no jail term, his sentence of five years on each of the first 13 counts running concurrently being suspended altogether during good behavior, while a $2500 fine was imposed on the 14th count.

Prison sentences on the remaining defendants were suspended during good behavior. George Carde and Miller Leonard received suspended sentences of four years with $1000 fines. James Devine, unable because of illness to be present today, will get a similar sentence with accompany suspension when he presents himself in court.

Theodore Koenig received a three-year suspended sentence without a fine; James Hanley and John Van Buren, four-year suspended sentences without fines; James Cayley, three years suspended sentence and no fine, and James Armstrong, one year suspended sentence without a fine.

FLU EPIDEMIC REACHES HIGH TIDE MARK

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waukee, 16; Minneapolis, 21; Oakland, Cal., 7; Portland, Ore., 9.

In the same cities there were 1272 deaths from pneumonia during the week ended December 22. Cities reported for the previous week showed a total of 1207 pneumonia deaths.

States reporting today included: Maine, 46 cases; Rhode Island, 14; Connecticut, 141; New York (city) 271; New Jersey, 219; Ohio, 1.-2; Illinois, 2048; Michigan, 5777; Wisconsin, 14,724; Minnesota, 1745; Iowa, 85,000 (estimated); Missouri, 1749 (exclusive of Kansas City); North Dakota, 21,846; South Dakota, 103; Nebraska, 1794; Kansas, 17,617; Delaware, 10; Maryland, 627 (week ended Friday); District of Columbia, 157.

Virginia, 40,000 (estimated); West Virginia, 2642; Georgia, 6853; Florida, 228; Kentucky, 10,100; Tennessee, 4191; Alabama, 1218; Mississippi, 2689; Arkansas, 1145; Louisiana, 121 (exclusive of New Orleans).

Oklahoma, 3574 (exclusive of Oklahoma City and Tulsa); Texas, 992; Montana, 4031; Idaho, 11; Wyoming, 329; New Mexico, 1161; Arizona, 33; Utah, 62 (week ended Friday); Washington, 766; Oregon, 1605, and California, 3705.

Thirty-three new cases of influenza were reported today to the State Department of Health. Today's record exceeds by two the total number for the entire previous month of November.

The new cases bring the total for December up to 227. A year ago there were 42 cases reported in December.

REAL WIFE IN BATTLE OVER MAN'S BODY

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Kramer's business was in New York.

"We have been living apart," declared the woman, "but there never was a divorce. I've heard about this girl, Leah. She's a Russian. I was not going to take action against her, but now that my husband is dead, I want his body."

Medical Examiner Jones notified the Springfield police who at once communicated with Boston and New York authorities. An investigation was begun immediately.

BELIEVE WEDDING LEGAL

While in Boston, Kramer and his "bride" stayed at the home of Max Goldstein of Spruce st., Chelsea. Goldstein's 19-year-old daughter, Frances, was a third victim of the North Wilbraham crash. She is Kramer's niece and was a passenger in his car. Her condition was still dangerous today.

Members of the Goldstein family declared today that Kramer, in their opinion, married wife number two legally in Russia a month ago. The wedding, they said, took place in the city of Maletar. The bride's name was Kramer before her marriage as well as after. She was a cousin of her husband. He had known her for a long time, and went abroad to make her his wife.

The Goldstein said they had known of Kramer's first marriage in New York. They declared that he divorced wife No. 1 more than a year ago.

Wife Sues Sister-in-Law for Body of Husband

Demanding the surrender of her husband's body, Mrs. Susan Gillis and family of Revere today filed a bill in equity in Suffolk Superior court against Mrs. Florence McGlynn, her sister-in-law, and Frank A. McDonald, a Rock Bay undertaker, to restrain them from interfering with or making arrangements for the burial.

Colin A. Gillis died at the home of his sister, Mrs. McGlynn yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Gillis claims she did not learn of his death until six hours later. She then engaged an undertaker and when she went to take possession of the body it is claimed that she was refused until McDonald was paid a charge of "$5, more or less." Court action followed.

Dimock Takes Over Forgrave District

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 27 (AP)—Rev. Arthur V. Dimock, Western Massachusetts superintendent of the Massachusetts Anti-Saloon League, announced today that in a redistribution of territory, brought about by the resignation of Rev. W. M. Forgrave as state superintendent, Mr. Dimock has been assigned to cover the northeastern district of the state, as well as Western Massachusetts.

He takes over territory north of Boston, to which Gordon McMaster has previously been assigned, as well as much of Central Massachusetts territory.

Merely Margy, An Awfully Sweet Girl :-: *Story by Lloyd Mayer* :-: By John Held, Jr.

HEY! I DON'T SEE HOW YOU CAN GIVE THIS GUY JONES SO MUCH OF YOUR TIME!
WHY BULL! I LOVE LITTLE JONES!
THE OTHER MORNING AT BREAKFAST-
AT BREAKFAST? IT'S WORSE THAN I THOUGHT!
WHEN I FED HIM HIS MILK AND CRACKERS-
YOU FED HIM? IS HE AN INVALID?
NO! WELL HE WILL BE! AN INVALID WHEN I GET THROUGH WITH HIM!
OH BULL! DONT BE LIKE THAT!

"MY dear, I'm all hot and BOTHered—I mean I ACtually AM, because I HONestly think BULL is going MILDly InSANE at this point on account of this FIRM idea he's conceived that 'JONES' is a heavy Rival—can you BEAR it? I mean I thought I'd have hysTERics about the situation the other DAY, my dear, because the big bozo came STORMing up to me and said he didn't see how I could give this 'JONES' bimbo so much of my TIME, and when I PRIMly replied that I LOVED little 'Jones' and described how the other MORNing I'd fed him his MILK and CRACKers at BREAKfast I HONestly thought Bull would BOIL over and BUTTER himself with disMAY and I was SIMply resOLUTELY amazed because when I made the reMARK about the MILK and CRACKers, my dear, he inquired if this 'JONES' was an INvalid or something—can you COPE with it?

And when I said 'NO, indeed,' Bull said, 'Well, it won't be LONG now!' or something BRILliant like that, my dear, and sort of DASHED madly OFF with a MURderous expresh on his conTORted VIsage! REALLY, my dear, I've never in my LIFE seen anybody so MADly JEALOus! I mean I HONestly think it's sort of THRILLing in a way to have somebody so PASSionately deVOted to you they can get so lathered UP and everything, my dear—I mean I ACtually DO!

STUDENTS DRINK MOST AT DANCES, IN AUTOS

959 BOYS, GIRLS CHECKED; HUB INCLUDED

College and high school drinkers do their imbibing principally at dances and student parties, according to questionnaire answers received from 47 undergraduate groups, including several from Boston and New England institutions.

Modern day young people aren't too fussy about the locale of their liquor indulgence, however. Back alleys, pool rooms, barber shops, drug stores, football games, even "home" will do, they reported.

PARKED CARS

Parked cars rank next to dance halls as convenient places for alcoholic refreshments, according to the results of the questionnaire. "Joints and blind pigs" trailed along as a poor third in popularity.

One respondent testified that he saw drinking "everywhere." Another said "Main st." in his town was the wettest spot. "Lonely places, such as beaches and mountain resorts," got several votes.

The Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals obtained the school and college drinking statistics and made them public today.

FROM 49 COLLEGES.

A total of 959 students, including girls and boys, was interrogated.

From 26 groups, representing 49 colleges, came admissions that individuals answering averaged from one to 12 friends each who would "take a drink."

In all, 70.6 per cent of the college men and women knew of drinking in their institutions. Only 44.4 per cent of the high school boys and girls knew of the use of liquor among their associates.

THREAT OF DEPORTATION REMOVED

Tamara Semenova, Marie Missorsky, Helen Terenteff and Leilie Dicorsky and their guardian, Elizabeth Missorsky, International Newsreel photo, proteges of Isadora Duncan, have been permitted to enter the United States from Russia under bond guarantee of their departure after a dancing tour of the country.

UNCLE SAM BAR DROPPED SO THEY CAN DANCE

WILKINS CREW HAS A MERRY CHRISTMAS

EX-CAPTAIN OF DARTMOUTH TEAM AND HIS BRIDE

JOIN WHALERS AT YULETIDE DINNER

By CAPT. SIR HUBERT WILKINS
Commander of the Wilkins-Hearst Antarctic Expedition

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Deception Island (Antarctica), Dec. 27—(Via whaler Hektoria and KUP, San Francisco Examiner wireless station)—We had hoped to spend the Christmas holidays on the bleak expanse of the Ross Sea barrier and in that case we could have contentedly munched dry biscuit and dried buffalo meat in the form of pemmican for our Christmas dinner, but having had certain measures of success in determining the extent of Graham Land and the northern limit of the polar continent in the American quadrant, we momentarily forgot our disappointment and joined with our Norwegian friends in hearty Christmas cheer.

VARIOUS STYLES

Eielson, Crossan and Porter celebrated Christmas Eve sacrificing in piecemeal their straggling hirsute growth.

Eielson turned out clean shaven, Porter kept his moustache, Crossan saved Charley Chaplin, sideboards and chin whiskers for Christmas Eve, but before Christmas dinner the sideboards and beard had

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WEDS CAMBRIDGE GIRL

Charles Collins, former captain of the Dartmouth cross country team, and brother of Herbert Collins, coach of Medford high school, with his bride, formerly Miss Louisa Allen of Brattle st., Cambridge (staff photo). They were married at St. Agnes' Church, Arlington, today.

GOODFELLOWS AIDED 1016 FAMILIES

Through the efforts of the Goodfellows, 1016 Greater Boston families were aided this year at Christmastide, the Goodfellow Editor is able to report today.

Many of the families fared better than others, of course, but all are smiling in joy that their distress has been relieved, for a time, anyway.

One family was fortunate enough to have $100 spent on it in one night by a kindly Needham woman.

In addition to the aid of the individual Goodfellows, the Goodfellow organization generally gave to families stockings, shoes, gloves, mittens and other useful and much-needed articles of apparel.

And the Goodfellow Editor thanks all who made this wonderful showing possible.

Heart of a Butterfly Excels That of Man

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—New evidence of the power of the laws of growth, heredity and instinct was presented today to the American Association for the Advancement of Science and affiliated societies.

Indications that social institutions, human beings, animals and plants are all subject to similar "laws of youth" which cover their periods of development, maturity and decline, were advanced by Dr. F. Stuart Chapin of the university of Minnesota.

He suggested that if such a "law" could be established for social institutions, it would become possible to predict and control their future development.

His findings, described as "preliminary," were based on a study of changes affecting the commission plan of government, the city manager plan, the government of Minnesota and the city government of Detroit, which he compared with marl beats in but one direction.

changes that occur in animals between birth and death.

"Our study shows," he said, "that the total changes of four political institutions for a period of years may be described as a growth tendency not unlike the growth principle of animal organisms."

The heart of a butterfly is twice as efficient as that of a man in at least one respect, Prof. John H. Gerould of Dartmouth college reported to the society.

He said he had been able to observe the hearts of certain butterflies and silkworm moths beating in both directions, while the heart of a

Search for "Lost" Ship

Seattle, Dec. 27 (AP)—Vessels of the North Pacific were asked today to search for the Italian steamer Gilda Scuderi, long overdue at Kobe, Japan.

To Restore Church

Venice, Dec. 27—Premier Mussolini will donate 500,000 lire (about $25,000) of Government funds for the restoration of the famous Church of St. Marks.

FULLER ADVISES 'L' SEEK VIEWS OF EXPERTS

Three of the five new trustees of the Boston Elevated, after being sworn in by Governor Fuller today, were given a little advice by the chief executive.

He suggested they get in touch with Samuel Untermeyer of New York, Joseph B. Eastman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and Thomas E. Mitten of the Philadelphia Transportation Company and exchange ideas on the problems which confront them.

The three given the oath today are Henry I. Harriman, George B. Johnson and Gen. Charles H. Cole. Edward E. Whiting and Stanley R. Miller, the remaining two, will be sworn in later.

SUGGESTS A DINNER.

"I feel this way about the matter," the governor declared, in an informal conversation. "Here is a service the people need. The problem today is how to obtain extension of this service.

"We did make a little progress on Governor sq. We got the legislature to endorse the principle that a subway is an underground street.

"I wish the board might invite over Mr. Mitten of Philadelphia. In that city they are rendering a very good service. The employes are satisfied. In fact, as regards transportation Mr. Mitten has done a pretty good job. Why not have a little dinner and invite Mr. Mitten over? I think he would give you a very interesting talk for an hour and a half on this problem.

OTHERS TAKE OATH

"I'm going away shortly. I couldn't sell the Mitten idea to the old trustees. Perhaps they were a little fearful that he might advocate something they didn't believe in."

The governor also administered the oath of office to Arthur G. Wadleigh of Lynn and Fred J. Crowley of Lowell, trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway.

BOYS HELD AS FIRE BURGLARS

Charged with breaking and entering, larceny and arson, two 14-year-old Hamilton boys were arrested today by State Officers Murray and Devitt, and Chief of Police Southwick of Hamilton.

According to police the boys broke into the summer home of Charles Black of Lynn and Hamilton, December 9, and stole several revolvers, 250 pennies and bric-a-brac valued at $500. Later one of the boys, it is alleged, set the house afire and it was destroyed with a loss of $17,000.

The boys also are to be charged in juvenile court with breaking into the garage of Charles W. Perkins at Idlewood Lake, Hamilton, and setting it afire, and with breaking into the store of Clara Frost on the lake, and stealing cigarettes and candy.

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Keeps Her Name

SO DID HER MOTHER

Verna Marie Johnson of Brockton will become a bride without changing her name. She is to marry George Edmund Johnson, an engineer in the Navy Department at Washington. The marriage will be New Year's afternoon. Her mother was Annie M. Johnson before her marriage to Frank Johnson.

MRS. ALLEN, 74, MOTHER OF F. G. ALLEN, DIES

Mrs. Abbie Louise Allen, mother of Governor-elect Frank G. Allen, is dead at her home, 25 Bachelder st., two months. One of her last public appearances was at the polls when she voted for her son's nomination at the primaries. She suffered a shock soon afterward.

At Mrs. Allen's bedside at the time of her death were her husband, Frank M. Allen, and her daughter, Miss Grace Allen. The Governor-elect was not informed of the crisis soon enough to be present. He was on his way to join the family today.

Mrs. Allen was born in Lynn, November 3, 1854. She was educated in the Lynn schools. She was for more than 25 years an active member of the Broadway Methodist Episcopal Church, Lynn. She was a member of the Myrtle Rebekah lodge and of the ladies' auxiliary of the Lynn Y. M. C. A.

She is survived by her husband, her son, the Governor-elect; her daughter, Miss Grace A. Allen, and by two grandchildren, Frank G. Allen, Jr., and Mrs. Mary Allen Crane of Needham.

FULLER WILL DEDICATE PEW

While the shades of Massachusetts' first governors look silently on, Governor Fuller and his family will dedicate the restored governor's pew in Kings Chapel on Sunday.

It will mark the first time that a chief executive of Massachusetts will occupy the stately pew since it was used by royal British governors before the Revolution.

Pomp and ceremony will mark the occasion. The governor's entire staff will attend as well as the full membership of vestrymen and wardens.

The pew, which was used in colonial times by such famous personages as Washington and the British Governors Howe, Gage and Hutchinson, was dismantled in 1829, but restored this year.

It is raised on a dais and hung with crimson curtains. For the ceremony Sunday Governor Fuller will sit in the original chair used by Governor Hutchinson, its last occupant. The chair was loaned for the occasion by its present owner.

Manufacturer Dies

Holyoke, Dec. 27 (AP)—John Lewis Perkins, 54, chairman of the board of directors of R. F. Perkins & Son, Inc., machinery manufacturers, of Willimansett, and owner of the American Tissue Mills of this city, died today.

Tell How 'Crank' Solved Mine Barrage Problem

New York Times today quotes Governor-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt as revealing how a crank inventor during the World War solved the problem of laying an effective mine barrage against German submarines.

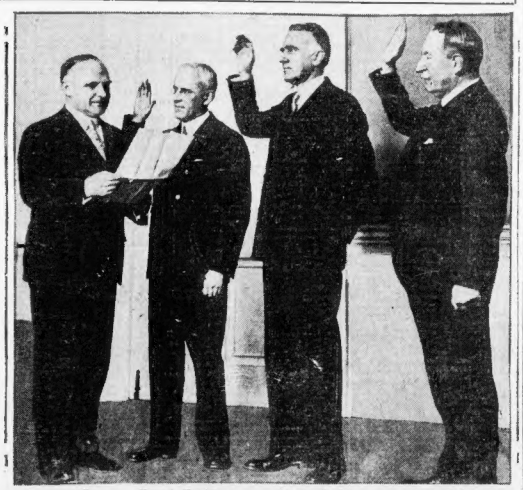
Mr. Roosevelt, who was assistant Secretary of the Navy during the war, made his disclosure in an informal address before the Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Post of the American Legion.

One day, early in 1918, he said, a typical "crank inventor" walked in with an invention and insisted on showing his model.

"He presented an intricate affair with a lot of nets and models of mines attached to the nets. He told me he had a practical plan for exploding the mine by electrical contact if a vessel touched any part of the entire machinery."

Out of the inventor's plan was created the "antennae" type of mine barrage which was laid from England to Norway and which was effective in protecting many convoys of American troops and sank at least two submarines.

TO GIVE HUB RIDE FOR ITS MONEY



Governor Fuller — Henry I. Harriman — Charles H. Cole — George B. Johnson

NEW ELEVATED TRUSTEES TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Photo shows Governor Fuller administering the oath of office to the new board of trustees of the Boston Elevated Railroad. The new trustees assume their duties at once.

WATCHES OVER MASTER

AUTHOR TERHUNE AND GREY DAWN

Albert Payson Terhune, writer of dog stories and collie fancier (International Newsreel photo), is slowly recovering at Pompton Lakes, N. J., from injuries caused by hit-and-run auto driver. Grey Dawn, king of Terhune household, refuses to quit master's bedside, and the first 24 hours refused to accept food.

MASSACHUSETTS TAXPAYERS GAIN MILLIONS IN U. S. REFUNDS

HUB ESTATE ONE OF TOP LINERS

More than 60 Massachusetts taxpayers, including estates, individuals and business concerns, have received federal refunds in excess of $25,000, according to a Government statement made public today.

A Boston estate, that of Peter C. Brooks, is the largest New England beneficiary of Uncle Sam's tax rebate. It gets back from the national treasury $1,383,826. It is one of ten in the United States receiving more than $1,000,000.

The four next largest New England refunds, all amounting to more than half a million dollars, also come to Boston.

The John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company gets $730,496, the Employers' Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd., $684,205; the estate of Harry B. Endicott, $546,109 and Hollingworth and Whitney Co, $516,446.

Connecticut has 22 taxpayers entitled to refunds of $25,000 or more. Rhode Island has seven; Maine, five; Vermont, one, and New Hampshire none.

Tax Refunds Total More Than 140 Million

Washington, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Treasury's annual list of tax refunds, covering the fiscal year ending last June 30, when $142,393,587 in illegally and erroneously collected taxes was returned to 168,501 individuals and corporations, made its appearance today at the Capitol.

The list, made public by the House committee on expenditures, carried only those refunds over $500 and included claim allowances on income, capital stock, sales and estate taxes collected for 1928 and prior years.

GOLF CLUBS BENEFIT.

Insurance companies, mills, industrial corporations, and rich estates were numerous in the list where large refunds were involved, while many golf clubs and thousands of individuals appeared in the smaller categories.

Ten refunds amounted to more than $1,000,000, with the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. of Winston-Salem, N. C., receiving the largest amount—$6,715,000. The American Tobacco Co. and subsidiaries, of New York, was next with $4,270,039.

Others receiving more than $1,000,000 were the Federal Shipbuilding Co., Kearney, N. J., $3,654,239; estate of Margaret Louisa Sage, New York, $1,618,939; Swift & Co., Chicago, $1,496,631; the Texas Co., Houston, $1,336,507; estate of Peter C. Brooks, Boston, $1,383,826; United Fuel & Gas Co., Inc., Charleston, W. Va., $1,233,362, and the estate of Mary Zevola Reed, Denver, $1,222,383.

Although a total of $130,000,000 was made available for tax refunds this fiscal year, a deficiency estimate of $75,000,000 recently was transmitted to Congress by President Coolidge to cover more claims, bringing the total to be returned by next June 30 to $205,000,000.

U. S. STEEL TO GAIN

While these refunds will not be made public until next year, Representative Garner, Democrat, Texas, recently declared on the floor of the House that the United States Steel Corporation would receive more than $15,000,000 of the total and that it settlements on additional claims were on the same basis that corporation would be returned almost $30,000,000 more.

Among those receiving more than $500,000 in refunds last year were the Philadelphia Electric Company, $909,926; estate of John J. Ferry, Philadelphia, $927,760; American Smelting and Refining Company, New York, $945,342; McClintic-Marshall Construction Company, Pittsburgh, $974,235; estate of Henry Clay Frick, Pittsburgh, $992,720; Miami Copper Company, New York, $875,000.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company, Boston, $730,495; Wilson & Co., Chicago, $674,173; Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation, Ltd., Boston, $684,205; estate of Henry B. Endicott, Boston, $546,109; Hollingsworth & Whitney Co., Boston, $516,446; Berwin White Coal Mining Company, Philadelphia, $515,862; Aluminum Company of America, Pittsburgh, $555,926; Cities Service Company, New York, $602,-924; estate of Oliver H. Payne, New York, $557,246, and the United States Finishing Company, New York, $558,457.

Bay State Winners in U. S. Tax Refund

MASSACHUSETTS estates, business concerns and individuals benefitting from U. S. tax refund, including the estate of Henry B. Scott of Framingham, which got $276,615, are:

American Bosch Magneto Co., Springfield, $36,608.

American Glue Co., Boston, $64,987.

Herrelson and Peterson Engineering Co., East Boston, $87,119.

Boston Publishing Co., Boston, $166,449.

Peter C. Brooks estate, Boston, $1,368,826.

Harry E. Converse estate, Boston, $189,258.

Julia Coolidge estate, Boston, $45,-899.

Austin P. Cristy estate, Worcester, $42,853.

W. W. Cross & Co., Brockton, $328,183.

Easthampton Rubber Thread Co., Easthampton, $26,692.

Robert J. Edwards estate, Boston, $36,385.

Employers' Liability Assurance Corp., Ltd., Boston, $684,205.

Henry B. Endicott estate, Boston, $546,399.

H. Wendell Endicott, Boston, $49,-571.

Farr Alpaca Co., Holyoke, $143,358.

First National Bank of Boston, $119,464.

Robert Perkins Gay estate, Boston, $39,721.

Gillette Safety Razor Co., Boston, $127,886.

Gosnold Mills Co., New Bedford, $30,891.

James and Donald Hallowell, Boston, $38,835.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co., Boston, $730,496.

John Hays Hammond, $25,774.

Harvard Trust Co., Cambridge, $26,137.

Hollingsworth & Whitney Co., Boston, $516,446.

Charles C. Heyl, Boston, $35,376.

Keith Co., Brockton, $30,906.

B. F. Keith enterprises, Boston, $26,333.

B. F. Keith estate, Brockton, $31,-947.

Kilburn Mills, New Bedford, $33,-323.

David P. Kimball estate, Boston, $35,951.

Richard F. Long, Framingham, $214,745.

George McQuesten Co., Boston, $55,393.

Manomet Mills, New Bedford, $155,747.

Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., Washington D. C., $41,978.

Mead-Morrison Mfg. Co., Washington, D. C., $358,696.

Mechanics Mills, Washington, D. C., $35,031.

Merrimac Chemical Co., Boston, $37,158.

New Bedford Gas and Edison Light Co., New Bedford, $59,763.

Charles J. Nichols, West Roxbury, $71,786.

Parkhill Mfg. Co., $42,150.

Pendleton Chemical Fibre Co., Boston, $367,267.

Stevens Mfg. Co., Washington, D. C., $64,033.

Lewis K. Thurlow, Boston, $1,962

United Export Co., Boston, $150,-427.

United Shoe Machinery Corp., Boston, $46,901.

United Shoe Machinery Co. of New Jersey, Boston, $767,531.

William E. Walker estate, Taunton, $69,379.

William H. Wellington estate, Boston, $263,845.

M. J. Whitney Associates (CQ), Worcester, $36,315.

William Whitney Co., Inc., Boston, $127,109.

M. J. Whittall Associates (GKCQ), Worcester, $53,316.

Whittenton Mfg. Co., Boston, $29,-329.

Wickwire Spencer Steel Co., New York, $50,461.

DRAFT BILL FOR NEW BAY STATE INCOME TAX

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constitutional, the commission intends to propose a constitutional amendment.

While the present tax rate is 1½ per cent on all taxable net income, the drafted bill provides for a tax of only 1 per cent, on the first $6000 of taxable income.

The second $5000 of taxable net income would be taxed at the present rate, 1½ per cent. The next $15,000 would be taxed at 2 per cent; while to all net income in excess of $25,000, a rate of 2 per cent would be applicable.

The exemption of $250 for each dependent child would be continued in force.

The commission moreover favors abolishing the corporation tax on corporate excess, or surplus. The corporation income tax rate would in this case be increased from 2¼ to 4½ per cent, but corporations making no profit would be spared the corporate excess tax which they now have to pay regardless of the results of the year's business.

This is a change corporations have been fighting for.

The proposed law would in addition abolish the existing distinction between ordinary income and income from investments. At present there are varying rates according to the different types of income.

The changes are expected to increase the income tax yield from $29,000,000 to between $35,000,000 and $35,000,000. The commission also intends to recommend, it is understood, a constitutional amendment making it possible to classify property for property tax purposes.

North End Man Tried in Kidnapping, Freed

A charge of kidnaping the mother of five children was dismissed today after Vincent Ciaccia, 28, of the North End, was tried in Chelsea court. Ciaccia was accused by Mrs. Theresa Scalco of Mountain ave. of kidnaping her daughter, Miss Louise Stalco, last October.

The daughter, who is 23, did not appear as a witness and the mother tried to have the case dropped, but Judge Cutler insisted on hearing the story. The mother then said her daughter had disappeared and later plugged she was being held against her will, but had afterwards returned to live with her husband.

New Chelsea Judge Seated on Bench

Roscoe Walsworth, former mayor of Revere and newly appointed associate justice of the Chelsea District court, was escorted to the bench today by Judge Samuel H. Cutler and throughout the day's session he sat as an observer, surrounded by floral tributes from many friends. His commission was read to him by Clerk Joseph Curley, recently reappointed by Gov. Fuller.

Mills to Reopen; Will Employ 1100

Fall River, Dec. 27—The Arkwright Mills, bought Saturday by the United Merchant and Manufacturers corporation of which Homer Loring is the directing head, will reopen for production the latter part of January and give employment to 1100 operatives it was reported in cotton textile trade circles.

Semifine goods will be made after extensive changes and additions have been made in machinery. It is expected that creditors of the company will receive 55 cents on the dollar.

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HUDSON SEAL (Dyed Muskrat) AUSTRALIAN OPOSSUM AMERICAN BROADTAIL RACCOON MUSKRAT BEIGE SQUIRREL CARACUL MARMINK (Dyed Marmot) LEOPARD OCELOT — $125 — YOU SAVE $65 to $125

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Dark MUSKRAT with fine fox collar—a value indeed $75

HUDSON SEAL (dyed muskrat) with Beige or Gray Squirrel collar and cuffs $125

Silver MUSKRAT trimmed with genuine Beaver $125

AMERICAN BROADTAIL at an unusually low price $125

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

Not Spending All

CRITICS of modern America declare that people are living ahead of their means; buying luxuries they cannot afford, and neglecting to lay aside money for the proverbial rainy day.

Savings bank statistics just issued by the American Bankers' Association do not appear to bear this out. Over 53,000,000 inhabitants of the United States possess savings accounts, the aggregate value of which is $38,412,981,000. The gain over a year ago is about two and a third billions. This equals the total expenditure upon education.

The per capita saving for the country as a whole is now $287.

Massachusetts, incidentally, holds the record for per capita saving among all the states with an average of $618.

Savings totals are an index of the saving habit primarily, and of prosperity secondarily. The eastern portion of the nation has accumulated more than half the savings of the entire country. The New England and Middle Atlantic states, with 29.9 per cent. of the nation's population, have amassed 58.2 per cent of the savings, making this region richer in savings, with its $461 per inhabitant, than any country in the world.

It is to rejoice over a thrift showing like this, of course. Quite evidently a good many folks are not included in the reckless spenders we hear so much about.

Interesting footnote.

Noon Editorial Column, Boston Traveler, December 13, 1928

Have You got YOUR $461?

According to the savings bank statistics just issued by the American Banks Association, every inhabitant of the New England and Middle Atlantic States should have saved $461.

Massachusetts, incidentally, holds the record for per capita saving among all the States in the Union with an average of $618.

A pretty good record isn't it?

Maybe you haven't begun to cultivate thrift—maybe your bank account isn't what it ought to be—but you can start saving money right now. Every year Filene's Basement helps millions of folks of modest means or economical habits to save money and one sure way to become thrifty is to walk through this different kind of a store that has thrived on helping folks save by providing hundreds of money-saving lots every day!

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PLANS ARE MADE FOR FUNERAL OF FRED THOMSON

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 27 (INS)—Preliminary arrangements for the funeral of Fred Thomson, noted film star of "Western" films who died here Wednesday, were being made today by David R. Faries, a close friend of Thomson.

Services, however, are to await the arrival of Thomson's mother and his brother, Harrison, Princeton professor, from the East. If they arrive Sunday, the funeral will be held the following day.

Pallbearers include in addition to Mr. Faries, William Randolph Hearst, Henry Thomson, Harold Lloyd, George Hill and Charles Farrell.

KING IS BETTER BUT NOT OUT OF DANGER

London, Dec. 27—Though warnings came from official sources that the nation should not be overconfident as to the King's recovery, satisfaction was generally felt today over the slow progress His Majesty is making.

This morning it was said the King was showing another slight improvement.

The facts that the violet ray treatment was omitted and that physicians announce there will be but one bulletin a day hereafter, buoyed up the conviction that the King was more than holding his own.

Nevertheless, the King's physicians are not yet able to state that he is out of danger. Until this assurance is forthcoming, there will remain an undercurrent of anxiety in the hearts of millions.

United Fruit Fights for Tiny Cuban Isle

Havana, Dec. 27 (AP)—A dispute between the Cuban government and the United Fruit Company over a tiny isle near Cuba brought a decision from the primary court at Nuevo that the property rights of Macabai Key were inherent in Cuba. It was indicated that the company will carry the case to the Supreme Court.

Horse Medicine Kills Vet

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Clarence A. Macksel, 41, World War veteran, was found dead in his home today from the effects of horse medicine he is believed to have taken in an attempt to relieve a minor ailment, according to Coroner Morley Lewis.

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Legion Finds Hungry Buddy Was Long on Rubber Checks

The American Legionnaires of Perkins post, South Boston, like to be good fellows, but—

After giving a "broke and hungry" buddy a Christmas basket in the morning, they thought it was kind of funny that the same chap should show up at night asking them to cash checks on his "Hartford, Ct., bank account."

They did cash one check for $10. Then they investigated. As a result, Harold Barbour, 36, of Dorchester st., South Boston, was arrested and was today given a month in jail for larceny. The Legion hasn't tried to put its check through, but Barbour's landlady had a "rubber" one already from her tenant.

EVELYN THAW'S BROTHER IS SUICIDE

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw had not seen her brother, Howard Nesbit, for years before she hurried to his home in the Bronx early today to find him dead.

He had hanged himself to a steam pipe.

Nesbit was 41 years old and a salesman. He made a stage debut 20 years ago, but did not continue in theatrical work. At one time he did art work for a newspaper.

The body was found by Nesbit's wife, who returned home late after a visit. Miss Nesbit hurried to the house from a night club, where she is an entertainer, and called a police pulmotor crew which tried vainly to revive her brother.

Nesbit was arrested in 1920 on complaint of his sister, who said she had given him a ring to pawn and that he had withheld the proceeds.

500 WILL PLAN 'SELLING' N. E.

To plan on "selling New England," 500 salesmen representing large manufacturers, merchants and other New England organizations will attend a rally of the Sales Managers' Club and the Executives' Club of the Boston Chamber of Commerce Saturday afternoon.

The rally will open with a luncheon at 12:30 in the main dining room of the chamber.

Charles P. Garvin of Washington will speak on "The Thinking Salesman," and Billy B. Van, former comedian, will discuss "Selling—the Biggest Job on Earth." President Henry I. Harriman will introduce the speakers.

A talk on the opportunities to "Sell New England" in conjunction with the merchandise they handle will be presented to the salesmen by Dudley Harmon, executive vice-president of the New England Council and group singing will be led by Col. Carroll J. Swan.

Gets Autonomy in Four New Treaties

Shanghai, Dec. 27 (AP)—China's new treaties with Holland, Sweden, Denmark and Portugal, the texts of which were made public today, all grant tariff autonomy to China. Portugal and Denmark give up extra territorial rights beginning in 1930. Advices from Nanking said a treaty on tariffs with Spain was signed at noon.

KILLS HUSBAND IN HOME OF COUNTESS

Paris, Dec. 27 (INS)—Tragedy has descended a second time upon the former home of Alice Silverthorne of Chicago and Buffalo, N. Y., the former Countess de Janze, who shot Raymond de Trafford, scion of an old English family, because he refused to marry her.

In this same house Mme. Jeanne Weller shot and killed her third husband, Robert Weller. Mme. Weller is in jail awaiting trial.

"The fatal house" is the name given by the Paris press to the apartment dwelling at 29 Rue Chalgrin. The shooting of Weller took place after a "night out" in the gay Montemarte where much champagne was drunk.

Mme. Weller calmly told the police that she shot her husband once in the mouth and once in the neck. Then as he writhed mortally wounded on the floor, she placed the muzzle of the pistol against his left ear and fired "to end his sufferings."

PACKS "PRISON BAG."

Then she carefully dressed herself, packed a valise with what she thought she would need in prison and awaited the police.

When the officers arrived they found Mme. Weller seated before her mirror rouging her lips and powdering her cheeks. In an adjacent room her husband lay dead.

At the police station Mme. Weller said she shot him because she was afraid of him.

"My husband was wounded in the war and had a disgusting operation and ever since then he was queer and threatened my life many times," said the widow.

She then told of the "party" which her husband, another man and herself went to at a Montmartre cabaret. There were negro entertainers. After several bottles of champagne, Weller made the acquaintance of a negress whom he invited to his table. Later when they went to another cabaret he took the negress along, dancing with her a number of times.

"Finally," said Mme. Weller, "we returned home, leaving our friend and the negress in the cabaret. My husband changed once we were in the house. He clutched my arm until it hurt. He hissed, 'this can not continue. I make you suffer and you make me suffer. It must cease.'

ENDS HIS AGONY.

"I knew he was having one of his brain spells. When he went into the bathroom I ran into my boudoir and took my revolver. I had hidden there. When Robert came from the bathroom he ran at me with a look in his eye I knew so well.

"I screamed, 'don't touch me,' but he came on. I fired once, then again. Robert fell and crawled into the bedroom.

"I heard him moan. He was lying there suffering. I could not bear to see him suffer that way. I placed the gun to his ear and fired again."

Mme. Weller's father is a rich rug merchant for whom her husband once worked. She had an income of $150 a week from her father in addition to her husband's income.

Robert Weller's uncle was a general in the French army. The Wellers have a year-old child.

Crazed Mexican Kills 4, Wounds 20

El Paso, Dec. 27 (AP)—Advices to the newspaper El Continental from Mexico City say four policemen were killed and 20 persons were wounded when Capt. Antonio Reyna of the Mexican army, entrenched himself in a house and kept up a steady fire against a large force of officers sent to arrest him.

Capt. Reyna, who the police say is mentally unbalanced, barricaded himself in the home of Maj. Serapio Sanchez and fought off many attempts to dislodge him before he was finally subdued. Among the wounded were several policemen and two young women.

More Backbone, Asks New Crime Fighter

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—John A. Swanson, a six feet two giant, whose 209 ponds seemed cramped in the office of state's attorney, which he assumed this month, put Chicago crime under the microscope today, analyzed its causes and prescribed his remedy.

"Don't look for miracles," said the man who was swept into office as the voters' protest against crime. "Citizens themselves must show some of the backbone and courage which they exhort of me and my assistants."

He spoke particularly of bombings, for he himself narrowly escaped death when a bomb was tossed at him a few weeks before the primary election last April.

The "immense revenue collected by organized crime" is, in the State's attorney's opinion, the principal obstacle in Chicago to law enforcement.

"A great share of this immense revenue, running into millions, is collected from liquor law violators, racketeers, commercial vice leaders and gamblers, and is spent for protection," he said.

"Why do we have more bombings in Chicago than other cities? It is a peculiar psychology, this bombing. Dynamite is not hard to obtain. Workers have no great difficulty in sneaking sticks from jobs where they are employed and it can be bought without a great deal of red tape. We hope to shut off the source of dynamite to the racketeers and blackhanders."

Up to December 1, 103 bombs were thrown in Chicago this year. More than 500 persons have been slain in the city since January 1. As to the reason for the wholesale homicides, State's Attorney Swanson, who was born, reared and has lived his entire life here, balked in explanation.

"Give me time," he parried. "I have been in office a comparatively few days and I will be able to tell you more about that later."

To aid him in his big job, State's Attorney Swanson said selection of juries must be speeded up, more judges must be obtained and there must be more co-operation on the part of the citizenry.

The prosecutor is 54 years old. He resigned as judge of Cook county court to make the race for state's attorney at the request of U. S. Senator Deneen and other leaders of the faction intent on defeating the ticket of Mayor Thompson and State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe.

Weds and Divorces Heir to $6,000,000

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Friends of Eleanor Errington of Clifton, S. I., were surprised to learn today that during the past seven months she had eloped with William C. Horrman, heir to a $6,000,000 fortune, and then divorced him because both families considered the elopers too young to marry.

The couple were married secretly in Allentown, Pa., on June 4, and obtained a divorce in Reno several days ago.

Flier Dies Despite Heroism of Girl

Hornell, N. Y., Dec. 27 (INS)—Clayson C. Ever, 33, Hornell aviator, died in a hospital here today of injuries suffered when his plane crashed on Sugar Run Mountain near Bradford, Pa., six weeks ago.

A girl passenger in the plane, Miss Helena Crandall of Alfred, N. Y., although badly injured, trudged 20 miles through dense underbrush to summon aid.

Somerville 'Sheik' Tries High-Brow Music Lure

The latest in sheiks in Somerville is a young man whose "line" is high-brow music.

When he has asked grand opera and symphony orchestra to his girl friends, he asks them if they wouldn't like a little ride in his shiny big sedan.

Not to look at the moon. Not to see how the old bus steps. Not to run in town to the movies.

Oh, no!

His invitation is to "come and take free lessons on the violin."

Non-musically minded Somerville girls reported the unconventional philanthropist to the police today.

Jails Youth Caught In Eight Mile Chase

Timothy R. Coughlin, 20, of Roxbury, captured by police after an eight-mile chase through the South End and South Boston, was fined $50 and sentenced to three months in jail in South Boston court today.

Judge Logan found Coughlin guilty of reckless driving, without a license, in a car without authority, and wrecking a fence on Seventh st., South Boston. Police said Coughlin used the roadster of Miss Josephine Trehan of Blue Hill ave., Roxbury.

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Muslin Underwear $1
Gowns, nainsook, regular and extra size. Bloomers, cotton, flannelette, nainsook. Regular and extra size. Slips, broadcloth and lingette. Many samples. 4 for

Leather Hand Bags $1
New pouches, back strap or top handle pouches of grained leather, complete with inside change purse and mirror. 2 for

Hoover Aprons $1
Better grade aprons, in white muslin only. Sizes 36 to 46. Full cut, well tailored. 2 for

Girls' Dresses $1
Cotton serge and others in bright stripe combinations. One or two-piece style effects, embroidery, contrasting collars and cuffs. Sizes 7 to 14 years. 2 for

Girls' Sample Blouses $1
Cotton broadcloth, prints and novelties. Many "Camp Town Tog" blouses in lot. Peter Pan shaped collars. Sizes to 16 years in lot.

Girls' Middies $1
Seconds and samples. White jean cloth. Several styles. Sizes 6 to 12 years. 2 for

Junior Dresses $1
Smart one-piece tailored tweed dresses in several colors or combinations. Novel pockets, belts, ribbon ties, braid trimmed. Sizes 15 to 19 years.

Women's Leather Slippers $1
Black kidskin. Pompom trimmed. Quilted lining —some soled. Leather soles, rubber heels.

Women's Slips $1
Made of fine cotton fabrics, including "moncling"; also samples in lot. 2 for

Brassieres Bandettes $1
Fancy pink brocaded material. 4 for

Women's Stockings $1
Rayon and silk mixed; also some mercerized cotton. Seconds. 6 pairs

Womens' Vests $1
Rayon striped, medium weight cotton. Sleeveless. Sizes 40 to 52. 2 for

Women's Stockings $1
Seconds. Rayon in the wanted new colors. 10 pairs

Women's Sport Hose $1
Wool and cotton mixed in the new sport checks and stripes. 3 pairs

Sport Anklets $1
Part wool and cotton, in sport colors. 3 pairs

Women's Cotton Vests $1
Fine jersey ribbed cotton. Bodice top. Regular and out-size. 4 for

Girls' Dresses $1
Colorful novelty crepes, suitings and others. Ensemble effects. Sizes 7 to 14 years.

Children's Sleeping Garments $1
Warm, soft material. Feet and pocket. 2 for

Children's Gloves $1
Cotton and wool mixed. Also fabric gloves. 3 prs.

Children's Vests, Pants, Bloomers $1
Fleece lined cotton. Rayon striped bloomers, reinforced. 3 for

Men's Broadcloth, Etc., Shirts
2 for $1
Seconds. Fancy and plain colors. Sizes 14 to 17 in lot.

Women's Wash Dresses $1
Floral and figured patterns, in a variety of colors. Many attractive models. Sizes 16 to 52.

Women's 4-Buckle Overshoes $1
Black cotton Jersey tops. Many have light colored linings.

Women's New Felts, Satins $1
With gold and silver combinations. Mattons' Hats, too.

Women's Muslin Underwear
2 for $1
Pajamas, checked tussah. Gowns, voile, batiste, flannelette, Porto Rican. Some seconds, some extra sizes.

Girls' Winter Coats $1
Polairs, plaids and other winter coatings. Fur collars, novel stitching, lined and interlined. Sizes 2 to 14 years.

Iron Bridge Lamps $1
Gilt sprayed twisted iron in several patterned bases. Adjustable socket.

Men's Flannelette Pajamas $1
Cotton flannelette in blazer stripes. Rayon frog trimmed. Cut full and well made.

Men's Union Suits $1
Fleece lined cotton, in natural color.

Men's Golf Sox $1
Cotton and wool mixed. Wanted heather shades. 6 prs.

Boys' Knickers $1
Serviceable fabrics. Dark and medium patterns. Sizes 8 to 16 years. 2 for

Boys' Winter Union Suits $1
Cotton and wool mixed. Natural color.

Boys' & Girls' Sport Sox $1
Cotton and wool mixed. Checks and designs. 3 for

Boys', Girls' Sport Sox $1
Seconds. Checks. Wanted colors. ¾ length. 6 pairs

Infants' Wear $1
Diapers, flannelette or Birdseye, 12 in package. Carriage robes, ribbon trimmed. Leggings, zipper styles. Seconds.

Children's Hats $1
New felts and velvets in bright shades; cute styles.

Women's Aprons $1
Bungalow or novelty, slip-over models. In assorted colors and patterns. 3 for

Pillow Cases $1
Heavy quality cotton, size 45x36 inches. Deep hem. Fully bleached. 4 for

Crash Toweling $1
Linen and cotton, with colored striped borders. 10 yds.

Rayon Overdrapery $1
Remnant lengths. Rose, blue or gold novelty patterns. 36 inches wide. 4 yds.

Boys' Blouses $1
Broadcloth and others in collar attached style. Yoke back and open cuffs. Fancy and plain colors. Sizes 8 to 15 years. 2 for

Boys' Corduroy Suits $1
Brown, navy or gray. Well made and cut full. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Infants' Wear $1
Rubber Sheets, heavy quality. Rubber Pants, ventilated. Infants' Kimonas, white flannelette. Infants' Dresses, nainsook, lace or embroidery trimmed. 4 for

Tots' Wear $1
Infants' Blankets, assorted colors. Infants' Combinations, cotton flannelette. Infant's Gertrudes, part wool. 2 for

Bed Spreads $1
Novelty cloth in size 81x105, scalloped finished. In rose, blue or gold stripes.

Rag Rugs $1
Imported, with crow foot or stencilled borders. Fringe trimmed. Reversible and washable. Size 24x36. 2 for

Turkish Towels $1
Large size, in rose or blue plaids—absorbent. 7 for

Waterproof Umbrellas $1
Amber color tips and ferrule on heavy quality waterproofed cloth in red, black, purple or green.

Women's, Misses' Coats $5
Chinchilla cloth, velours and mixtures. Shawl or mushroom collars and many with fur cuffs. Also plaid back mannish styles in lot.

Women's, Misses' Dresses $3.95
Heavy quality flat crepe and other materials in new high shades of violet, red, blue, brown, green and black. New flares, shirrings, bows, tiers and pleats. Seconds and odd lots.

Tots' Coats $2.99
Suede-like materials. Bright and attractive shades. Lined and interlined. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Junior Skirts $1.99
Circular pleated models in smart plain colors. Sizes 13 to 19 years.

Boys' Juvenile Overcoats $2
Admiral and other winter coats, of good durable fabrics. Blue and other coatings. All warmly lined. Sizes 3 to 8 years.

Men's Suits and O'coats $7.95
Suits of mixtures and navy blue unfinished, 2 or 3 button models. Overcoats in box style. Wanted fabrics and colors.

Men's "Sawyer" Slickers $2

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WINTRY SIGNS ARE LACKING ON WEATHER MAP

Forecaster George A. Loveland was almost ready to admit today that his half-century vocation as weather expert was gradually losing its thrill.

He who, for years, has proudly watched the birth and growth of northwest blizzards, chuckled their accompanying sub-zero chill and revelled in New England storms, found himself today plotting a weather map as effete as a graph of Gulf Coast winter resorts.

Not even in the traditional stormy fastnesses of the Canadian hinterland could he find a grain of comfort for future wintry developments nor were there any signs on the American side of accustomed seasonal stings.

For Greater Boston the weather prophet gloomily predicted cloudy skies and probable showers with continuance of current temperatures and gentle southerly winds.

Santa Claus left him some long-wished-for instruments designed to grapple with December wintry problems, but like the boy with his new sled the Weather Man must wait for opportunity to use them.

Forecast for Boston and vicinity: Mostly cloudy, probably with some light rain tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature; moderate winds, mostly southerly.

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QUEEN WITH "SCEPTER"

Mlle. Gabrielle Allemain, photo by International Newsreel, who has the distinction of being the first queen elected of the Burgundy wine districts. She is shown holding her sceptor in the guise of a bottle of the famous old nectar. There is great rivalry among the girls of the wine grapes growing area to be chosen for this coveted honor as ruler over the vineyards. The queen is also one of the prettiest of the maidens, having been selected on that account.

POISONS GUARD TO GET SECRET U. S. FORMULA

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Belief that the international importance of a secret formula for the treatment of copper, recently discovered, led to the poison murder of a watchman at the Guggenheim laboratories here today, was expressed by officials of the laboratory with the finding of the guard's body in a chemical-laden room.

The murder was committed in one of the most diabolical methods on record, a throwback to the medieval crimes of the Borgias. Potassium cyanide, a poison resulting in almost instant death, was placed in the coffee of Arthur Gow, watchman.

Gow's body was found by employes reporting for work. Nearby two other men, who had been slugged over the head with a revolver, were found bound and gagged. They are Wilmer Mayhew and Chester McCauley, both of Baltimore.

They had driven a truckload of tear gas from the Southern Motor Corp. plant in Baltimore and surprised a lone bandit who was rifling the laboratory after he had killed Gow.

A short distance from Gow's body a cup containing a few drops of coffee was found. Analysis revealed traces of the poison. Apparently the robber had gained entrance to the laboratory unknown to Gow and secreted the poison in his coffee while he was having lunch.

Whether the intruder gained possession of the formula has not been determined.

Paul Mayer, superintendent of the laboratory, told police he suspected a former employe.

Six months ago, he said, he discharged the man when he learned he was in the employ of minister interests attempting to get the formula.

Scores Injured in Vienna Ice Storm

Vienna, Dec. 27 (AP)—A rain fall, followed by a period of intense cold, made the streets of Vienna so slippery last night that 150 persons suffered injuries through falls.

The Allgemeine Krankenhaus, the city's biggest hospital, alone treated 68 cases of fractures of legs and arms, dislocations and bruises, while other hospitals also had many cases.

Among the seriously injured were the famous Hungarian Countess Paula Esterhazy.

Bigger Chicago Now Boasts of 4,500,000

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—Chicago is further entrenched as the second city of the United States with a population of 3,215,000, figures compiled by the Chicago Association of Commerce show.

This figure represents an increase of 75,000 over the 1927 population.

The association estimates metropolitan Chicago will have a population of 4,500,000 January 1, 1929, or 100,000 more than last year.

Send Out Alarm for Lost Fordham Boy

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—The missing persons bureau of the police department today sent out a general alarm for Robert Emmet Boyle, 19, of Glens Falls, a junior medical student at Fordham university, who disappeared from the college campus Friday and has not been heard from since.

No reason for his disappearance was known. His father, Dr. Patrick Boyle, is an eye specialist.

No Actress Should Marry, Says Iren

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—Irene Bordoni, actress, professes to be amazed at reports that she contemplates a divorce from E. Ray Goetz, her manager. "How funny!" she exclaimed. Then, speaking from the experiences of friends, she added: "No successful actress should have a husband. Never should an actress marry her manager."

Real estate where the values are. You will find a lot of valuable property advertised every day in the real estate columns of the Classified Ads.

Morrow to Return to Mexico Says Kellogg

Washington, Dec. 27 (INS)—The American representatives who will participate as observers in Europe's attempt at Geneva to fix German reparations will be Owen D. Young and Rufus C. Dawes, it appeared today after dispatches from Paris reported the selection of Young and Dwight W. Morrow, with Rufus C. Dawes as alternate.

Morrow will be unable to serve, said Secretary of State Kellogg, adding: "Mr. Morrow is our ambassador to Mexico and will return there. eW need him in that post."

English High '28 to Hold Reunion

The first reunion of the English High School class of 1928 will take place next Friday night with an informal dance in the ballroom of the Elks Hotel. The class, with a total of 638, is the first to enroll 100 per cent of its members in the E. H. S. Association.

Heads Geological Society

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—Election of Prof. Heinrich Ries of Cornell university as president of the Geological society of America was announced at a meeting today.

Clyde Shipyards Reach 8-Year Peak

Glasgow, Scotland, Dec. 27 (AP)—Government figures today revealed that the Clydeside this year had the largest shipbuilding output since 1920. Vessels launched numbered 220, a total of 602,000 tons, against 274, representing 465,000 tons, last year.

Prospects for the coming year were said to be even brighter, though present methods of construction make a steady flow of orders essential if employment is to be maintained at the present level.

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Berlin, Dec. 27 (AP)—Berlin police today established the identity of "Charley Larsen," who passed to Friedrich Ryber of Vienna 10 $1000 bonds of the Tokyo Electric Light Company, which were stolen in August from registered mail on the steamship Leviathan. The police said "Larsen" was really Frans Rudis, alias Walter Hinzer, of Hamburg, and that he was widely known in police circles.

Officers of the Leviathan identified the man as Charles Long, who shipped as a carpenter on the liner.

"Larsen," as he is known in the present case, has disappeared. He was arrested at Antwerp, where police notified the Austrian authorities that if they wished to extradite him in connection with the charges under which Ryber was held, the request must be made within 24 hours. Vienna was slow in acting and the Belgian authorities were obliged to free "Larsen." Police here are convinced he holds the key to the robbery in which $210,000 worth of bonds were taken while en route from the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York to Paris. They believe he made his way to either the United States or England.

Ryber was taken when six of the stolen bonds were offered to a Vienna bank. He at first said he had received them from a Russian named Bartuskiewitz, but confessed they came from "Larsen"

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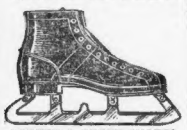

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Jackie Coogan Knocked Out by Christmas Joy

Berlin, Dec. 27—Jackie Coogan, youthful American film star, with a world-wide following, is in bed today with a slight case of influenza, thereby demonstrating the fact that he is only a small boy after all, with a small boy's enthusiasm.

Contrary to general belief, Jackie is not a pampered darling with the world at his feet, but has been brought up very strictly, receiving about the same presents as the average American boy.

Consequently, when Santa Claus brought him a steam engine, electric train and toy airplane, Jackie was overjoyed. He was up at dawn in the hotel suite to examine his stockings, and when he found the toys he wasted no time in dressing.

In bare feet and pajamas, Jackie ran up and down the room, operating his toys, with the result that he contracted a cold which developed into light influenza, preventing the young actor from appearing in his vaudeville act last night.

A physician was called at once, but after watching the young patient all night he assured Jackie's parents that there was no danger. The doctor added, however, that the boy must be kept in a warm bed until Saturday, which means cancelling his vaudeville engagement here in all probability, or at least postponing it.

Jackie Coogan

URGE OIL PLANT FOR WEYMOUTH AT HEARING

Testimony in rebuttal to that put in by residents of North Weymouth who objected to the proposed erection by the Standard Oil Company of a huge storage plant in that community was taken today at the State House by Fire Marshal George C. Neal.

The plant would consist of 11 tanks, eight of a capacity of 82,000 barrels each, one 52,000 barrels, and two of 2000 gallons capacity.

Arthur I. Negus, secretary of the Weymouth Chamber of Commerce, said he could find no objection to the plant, and the board voted in favor.

Charles D. Ward, superintendent of the American Agricultural Chemical Plant, said there would be no fire menace.

Sir James M. Barrie Recovers

London, Dec. 27 (AP)—Sir James M. Barrie, author and playwright, who was put to bed by his physician several days ago because he had contracted a severe cold, has recovered.

32 WITNESSES AT INQUEST ON FATAL BLAST

Thirty-two witnesses, including all but one of the survivors of the explosion in the Preble Box Toe factory in Lynn on November 8, which took 20 lives, were in court today as an inquest into the fatal blast began before Judge Reeve of Lynn district court.

The hearing was private and only one witness at a time was permitted in the courtroom where Asst. Dist. Atty. Edward Flynn of Essex County and other officials conducted the questioning.

State and local policemen, Lynn firemen, representatives of the State Fire Marshal's office, two of the officers of the Preble concern and one woman, Mrs. Amie Ellison of Timson st, who sounded the fire alarm, were among the witnesses.

The company officers present were Horace Eaton and George Preble. No member of the Blaney family was under summons to testify. The father, mother and five children of this family were killed in their home on a lot adjacent to the factory site, leaving four other children surviving.

Harry Eraniq of Chestnut st., Lynn, an employe, is still in bed from injuries received in the explosion and was the only witness unable to attend.

An "observer" permitted in the courtroom was Acting Mayor Lynn M. Ranger, Mayor Ralph S. Bauer, who is out of town, has sharply criticised a report made by State Fire Marshal George C. Neal and is tensely interested in the question of permits to store explosive materials.

FORMER DOCTOR IN VETS' BUREAU ON PROBATION

Dr. Isadore Green of Brookline, former examining specialist of the Veterans' Bureau, who was indicted last March for extortion from veterans, has been on probation more than a month, it was revealed at the Federal building today.

Dr. Green went into court November 20, last, before Judge James A. Lowell and after pleading guilty to one count in one of three indictments, was placed on probation for a year.

It was also revealed that Arthur Williams, a clerk in the Veterans' Bureau, who was indicted with Dr. Green, pleaded guilty and was also placed on probation on condition that he make restitution of $200 within one year.

The indictments of Green and Williams resulted from an investigation which was made on complaint of certain veterans that money was being demanded from them for a greater disability percentage and to expedite their claims through Washington.

Officials at Rites of Mrs. McLoughlin

Prominent city officials attended the funeral today of Mrs. Mary McLoughlin, mother of exSenator Edward F. McLoughlin, which was conducted from the home, 75 Moraine st., Jamaica Plain. A solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Jamaica Plain, by the pastor, Msr. Arthur T. Connolly. Rev. Harry C. Reardon was the deacon and Rev. Joseph Robinson, sub-deacon.

Among those present were Dist. Atty. Foley, Sec. Edward F. Condon, representing Mayor Nichols, and Sheriff John A. Kelliher. Interment was in Mount Benedict Cemetery, West Roxbury.

Crown Prince at Cadorna Funeral

Pallanza, Italy, Dec. 27 (AP)—The funeral of Count Marshal Cadorna, former commander-in-chief of the Italian armies, was held today with Crown Prince Humbert, representing King Victor Emmanuel, as the chief mourner.

There was an impressive attendance of war veterans and representatives of all the allied nations. Maj. James L. Collins, military attache at Rome, attended in behalf of the United States army. Alexander Kirk of Chicago, counselor at the embassy, sent a large wreath inscribed: "From the American Government and People."

Mexicans Killed in Plunge Off Train

Mexico City, Dec. 27 (AP)—Dispatches from Chihuahua say that two trainmen were killed and Governor Marcelo Caraveo of the State of Chihuahua and a number of other persons were injured when a train plunged into an abyss as it passed over a bridge, the support of which had been weakened by fire.

Governor Caraveo, Gen. Jesus Ferreira, chief of military operations in the State, and about 100 other prominent citizens were returning from the opening of the Kansas City, Mexico and Oriente Railroad link connecting Chihuahua and Ojinaga when the wreck occurred.

WILKINS CREW HAS A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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fallen before the blade.

For my part the Van Dyke beard maintained for five years and until the Arctic frosts compelled its removal in 1926, has reasserted itself to remain indefinitely.

The captains of the whalers joined us at the festive board. We were a merry party, comfortable before a heavily-burdened table, laden with a meal that could not have been excelled on the yacht of a millionaire. The Norwegians well know how to take care of the inner man.

TOAST BYRD

"We were accepted as part of their family and shared alike with them the presents thoughtfully provided by the Hektor Whaling Company. Many skolls were spoken and responded to. Our mutual and individual friends were not forgotten.

Then we raised our glasses to Comd'r Byrd and his followers, wishing them success. At dinner we received through the good offices of the San Francisco Examiner short wave wireless station numerous messages of congratulation and season's greetings. Then comfort replete but perhaps not too comfortable because of a surfeit of good dishes and we sought our cabins.

TWO OF VERDI'S OPERAS ARE PRESENTED

By MOSES SMITH

The National Opera Company, which has set itself the laudable task of presenting grand opera at unheard-of low prices, gave a matinee performance of Verdi's "La Traviata" at the Boston Opera House, and by the quality of its evening performance of the same composer's "Il Trovatore" gave its supporters cause for gratification.

The presentation of "Traviata" had substantially the same virtues and defects as that of "Aida" on the opening night, though we repeat that in view of the average price of a dollar for a seat almost any kind of production is a miracle. The performance of "Trovatore," however, was so good as to call for no apologies. The singing of practically all the principals was excellent, the chorus performed with more zest than in its preceding attempts, and things in general went more smoothly.

There were good voices aplenty in the cast. Emilia Vergeri, the Leonora, wanted only a more refined delivery to be entirely adequate to the role. Her native vocal talents are certainly great. Elizabeth Hoepod gave an excellent dramatic version of the gipsy, Azucena; vocally she was not quite so certain as on the opening night.

Mario Valle, veteran of the San Carlo company, gave an excellent account of himself as the Count of Luna. Luis de Ibarguen, as Manrico, and the other principals completed a capable cast. The scenic sets were more adequate than in previous performances.

Assuming that the improvement in presentation will continue as the company becomes acclimated, Boston music-lovers may indeed congratulate themselves on their opportunity to hear and see operatic repertoire at low prices. Under such conditions whole-hearted public support inevitably follows.

Schoolboy Suicide

Berlin, Dec. 27 (INS)—In the midst of Christmas gayety Oller Schultze, 13, a high school student, hanged himself. He was born in New York.

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Girl, Ill Year, Dies of Sleeping Sickness

Lowell, Dec. 27 (AP)—Sleeping sickness caused the death of Florence Kopacz, 13, of Dracut, at the Lowell Hospital today.

She had been ill for more than a year. It was the second fatal case of the disease reported to the Lowell board of health within a year.

Science Won't Let 500,000 Be Orphans

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Half a million children in the United States today would be full orphans or half-orphans but for the longer span of life effected by science since 1900, according to Dr. Alfred J. Lotka of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., before the great scientists' gathering here.

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THE HOLIDAY SEASON IS A YOUTH PERIOD IN THE YEAR'S calendar. It's the time when giving and receiving, no matter how general it may be, somehow or other concentrates on people who are especially young. "Especially young" might mean anywhere from under one to about that choice year in feminine progress through the ages known as sixteen, with a modifying adjective. To almost all of that "especially young" set, the holiday is a new kind of romp with all sorts of toys and marvelous vehicles of childhood to turn the romp into a perfect whiz.

SNOW IS LACKING IN THE PUBLIC GARDEN, SO ARE sleds. But bright red trucks lumber by in the skilful hands of some shiny eyed youngster with faith in the jolly old gentleman who is the source of all joy to the trusting wee ones. Tricycles glisten, parkcycles scoot past, and automobiles more resplendent than parental cars ever could be dazzle pedestrians with their magnificence.

KLAXONS GRIND OUT A WEIRD WARNING TO ANY SO careless as to step in the path of these small automotive creations. Bells ring out arrogantly, advising one to step aside and let pass this speed maniac who can pedal so rapidly and then with a gesture impressive to behold bring his two small extremities to an abrupt stop and coast effortlessly on along the winding paths past the covered flower beds.

AND ALL THE NEW DEBUTANTES AND SUB-DEBUTANTES who appeared in the Garden yesterday! Very grand creatures indeed, from France, or Germany, or Holland, or England or almost any place that a travel catalogue would care to mention. They rode by in smooth moving carriages of various styles and construction, but no nurses wheeled this Boston set. The tiny mothers just could not bear to entrust these precious children to any but their own adoring hands.

ALL THROUGH THE WEEK, IF THE WEATHER CONTINUES to be graced by a benign deity of sunlight, the paths in the Garden will be boulevards, and the traffic squad a red-cheeked one with chubby little hands and an ambition to appear grown up.

THEN THERE IS THE REMAINDER OF THE ESPECIALLY young set, who are home for the holidays from boarding school. Ten days of glorious freedom, with a round of amusements added like so many luscious trimmings to a favorite cake. Last night, which is really almost the middle of vacation to the school-going coterie, was a dance at the Longwood Cricket Club, most particularly for the school group. The club carried the breath of holiday in its evergreen decorations. Holly trailed festively from fastenings. Mistletoe, tucked away in unexpected places, created that sense of amusement and anticipation that mistletoe does and should create. Like a broad greeting from a genial host hung a great green wreath over the center of the balcony, where it sparkled with brilliant, transparent colored balls, so frail and vivid and so redolent of the Yuletide season. In the corners of the dance room were tall fir trees, chastely hung with "icicles."

PRECEDING THE DANCE, WHICH WAS ATTENDED BY THE school set to the number of 300, was a dinner to the 20 ushers. Mrs. Kirkland Gibson, who was charming executive-general of the night-after-Christmas party, headed a list of the popular patronesses, including Mrs. J. W. Wheeler, Mrs. George H. Waterman, Mrs. H.

GRACE AND LESTER MADDEN
Youthful skating enthusiasts pictured at the Arena by the Boston Evening American staff photographer.

L. Rogers, Mrs. F. A. Harding, Mrs. H. B. Prout and Mrs. Edward M. Farnsworth, Jr., that tendered the ushers dinner at the Country Club.

A FLOCK OF GIRLS, FRESH-CHEEKED AND GLOWING-EYED, danced through the evening in a moving cloud of soft shades and flashing color of frocks that were frequently taffeta, just as frequently the youthful misty tulle, and quite often soft silk or charming velvet. Many of the girls had schoolgirl guests for the Christmas to New Year's vacation. Before the dance were a few small dinners that with quite the grown-up manner create a party within a party. A bouffet supper was served at the club and no dinners were given there prior to the evening affair.

SOME OF THE GIRLS WHO ATTENDED THE HOLIDAY CELEBRATION were the Misses Jane Wheeler, Frances Winlock, Frances Williams, Louisa Vaughan, Ada Trafford, Evelyn Thomp-

Dance Given at the Longwood Cricket Club for Home-From-Boarding-School-for-Holidays Gathering

son, Lucy Stone, Martha Seabury, Catharine Rust, Jean Reed, Catherine de Pierrefeu, Anne Peterson, Anna Peabody, Sarah Palfrey, Polly Paine, Harriet Moseley, Anne Minter, Alice Means, Betty McGinley, Mary Loring, Catharine Little, Isabelle Lee, Elizabeth Harding, Caroline Hunnewell, Barbara Greenough, Frances Gardner, Harriet Fuller, Alice Farnsworth, Helen De Normandie, Dorothea Dean, Barbara Bremer, Harriet and Leslie Blake, Mary Jane Bigelow, Serita Bartlett and Jane Bancroft.

UP ON BEACON HILL, WHERE LIGHTS STILL GLOW AND trimmings continue to transform a series of houses into a succession of lovely pictures, quaint with a charm quiet and old, above the noise and development of the city that hurries on at the foot of the slope, another quite young affair occurred last evening. A genial house dance was given by Mrs. John Phillips of Mt. Vernon st., for Madelyn and Eleanor, who are both sub-debutantes. But as we all know, and have already mentioned, this is the one time of the year when the "especially young" come into their own and can dash about very grandly in a series of entertainments chiefly created for their pleasure.

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Photo by Bachrach
Miss Curtis

Presentation of the money was made at a Christmas party in the room usually given over to the lunch counter. Little trees on the counters and Christmas wreaths added a festive note to the affair. Following the presentation, ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Frances G. Curtis, president of the club, and Miss Emma D. Baker, club manager, presided. Miss Curtis, who presented the money, was remembered with a gift of roses from the employes. Miss Baker, whose administration of house activities began in October, was also given a Christmas remembrance.

Sewing has been resumed by the Emergency Relief Committee, and each Tuesday finds a group of busy people in the workroom at 8 Walnut st., working upon garments that will go to children in homes and institutions around the city, and keep many little ones warm and comfortable throughout the winter months. Members who can spend even a portion of a day are gladly welcomed, and are thus given an opportunity to make their personal contribution to this worthy work.

WOMEN'S REPUBLICAN CLUB OF MASSACHUSETTS

Mrs. Alvan T. Fuller will be the guest of honor at a musicale and tea this afternoon in the Assembly Hall from 3:30 until 5:30 o'clock. The program is in charge of the Political Department. Miss Marion Whitmore, soprano; Edward Ransom, tenor, and Joseph Salvatore Livera, violinist, are the artists to be heard in the concert. Miss Frances Pembroke and Mrs. M. H. Gulesian are to be the piano accompanists.

BOSTON EASTERN STAR WOMEN'S CLUB

At 2:30 in the Hotel Vendome a Christmas party will take place. Mrs. Harriet C. Knowlton and Mrs. Elizabeth Denteen are to be the hostesses.

PEABODY WOMAN'S CLUB

An all day sewing bee will be held in the South Church vestry. Readings from Dickens by Mrs. Susan L. Ferguson.

Nancy Brewster

Georgetown Club to Dance Tonight

The Greater Boston Undergraduate Club of Georgetown University will hold a first annual dance at the New Commander Hotel, Harvard sq., Cambridge, tonight. Proceeds of the affair are for the athletic association of the college.

Paul E. Clancy of Cambridge is chairman, assisted by Francis H. Farrell of Revere and John J. Donovan of Dorchester.

The Undergraduate Club is headed by Leonard J. Dergan of Lawrence, with Thomas F. Fay, Brookline, vice-president; Ralph Duplin, Stoneham, secretary and Charles F. Kelleher, Newburyport, treasurer.

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YOUNG DRAPER HURT IN CRASH AFTER DANCE

Worcester, Dec. 27 (AP)—While Worcester and Milford police today searched for George Draper, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claire H. Draper of Hopedale, reported missing, word came from his home that he had returned with a friend, following an automobile accident, and was in bed suffering from what the family described as "slight injuries."

According to police, Draper's car was found abandoned at the foot of the railroad stairway in Plymouth st. early today, both front wheels damaged. It was ordered taken to a garage, and the boy's parents were notified. The police say the family reported the youth had not returned home after a dance at the Tatnuck Country Club last night.

His father, accompanied by Milford police, visited police headquarters and the boy was officially listed as missing.

George Draper is a student at Bryant and Stratton Business College in Boston and is home for the Christmas vacation. He attended the "1928 Revelry" at the Tatnuck Club last night and the accident is believed to have happened while he was taking a short cut home.

Divorces Jump 40% in Chicago for 1928

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—Chicago's divorce rate for 1928, which still retains a few days on the calendar, already exceeds that of the previous year by 40% decrees, statistics compiled today by clerks of the superior and circuit court show.

Of 9621 decrees 7200 were obtained by wives and 2389 by husbands. The survey shows 85 per cent of the couples were childless, but that the breaking of the marital ties in the cases of the other 15 per cent left 5664 children homeless.

Plunged to Death in Auto at White River

Rutland, Vt., Dec. 27 (AP)—The body of John N. Hammond of Troy, N. Y., was found in an automobile partly submerged in the White River at Stockbridge today. The car had crashed through a temporary bridge erected after the flood of last year and landed through the ice. Hammond, who was employed as a hostler, was on his way to visit his 86-year-old mother at Randolph.

Shot in Eye

MAY LOSE SIGHT

Arthur Healey, 4-year-old Charlestown boy (staff photo) was hit by a bullet from a Christmas air gun.

CREW RESCUES BOAT CAPTAIN

Providence, Dec. 27 (AP)—John J. Cummings, 65, of Taylor st., Fall River, captain of the freight boat Ruth B. Lute, was rescued from the Providence harbor early today by three members of his crew.

Capt. Cummings had slipped from the gang plank when he attempted to board the craft. He cut his forehead against the side of the vessel in falling. An ambulance was summoned from the Rhode Island Hospital where Capt. Cummings was being held today for observation.

COOLIDGE BAGS 3 PHEASANTS, 2 TURKEYS

Sapelo Island, Ga., Dec. 27 (AP)—Sallying forth in wide, corduroy breeches and high boots, President Coolidge this morning bagged three pheasants and two wild turkeys in his first shooting expedition of his midwinter vacation on the spacious estate of his host, Howard E. Coffin.

Plans for today's shooting here were hurriedly made when a bright sun dispelled the chill salty breeze of the preserve. The President, accompanied by Col. Osmun Latrobe, his military aide; Alfred W. Jones of Brunswick, Edward Varey, a relative of Mr. Coffin, and Col. Starling of the Secret Service, proceeded from Mr. Coffin's estate on Sapelo Island to the well-stocked preserves on Little Sapelo, separated from the island proper by one of many water lanes.

GOOD MARKSMAN.

For two and a half hours Mr. Coolidge and Col. Starling, the only members of the party to do any shooting, stood at the edge of a broad, flat marsh, while game beaters scurried through the nearby woods and frightened the birds into the air.

That the President's marksmanship has not suffered in the several weeks his gun has been laid aside was borne by the fact that he brought all five of the birds down on the wing as they flew across the marshes. Col. Starling bagged three pheasants, making the total bag six peasants and two wild turkeys.

In wearing the huge ten-gallon hat presented to him two years ago in the Black Hills, the President clung to a custom he established on his fishing trips along the streams of Wisconsin last summer and on his shooting trips in Virginia several weeks ago.

SITE FOR PICTURE

During the President's absence this morning, Mrs. Coolidge began her sittings for a portrait being painted by Frank O. Salisbury, an English artist, who accompanied the party from Washington. President Coolidge was scheduled to begin his sittings this afternoon.

Mrs. Coolidge, who has looked forward to long hikes about the wooded islands, tomorrow for the first time, will accompany the President on a shooting trip into the preserves. The first lady expects to carry her own gun and try her luck at the game birds.

TILSON WARNS N. E. OF TARIFF EXAGGERATION

Hartford, Ct., Dec. 27 (AP)—A policy of protection applying with equal force to every industry of the country is favored by Representative Tilson of Connecticut, majority floor leader of the House, as a foundation stone for the tariff structure changes to be decided upon by Congress.

"We in New England," said Tilson, addressing the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce today, "should favor proper protection for farming, mining and other industries.

BROAD PROTECTION.

"A policy of protection must be based upon principles broad enough to cover the nation or it cannot stand."

Tilson expressed the belief that there was little chance of farm legislat on being enacted this session and predicted Herbert Hoover would redeem his campaign pledge by calling an extra session to consider this question.

Since farm relief is conceded to include tariff revision, the Republican leader said, New England manufacturers could help materially in preparation of a new tariff law by furnishing Congress material facts such as will inspire the confidence of those in charge of the hearings.

CARE IN STATEMENTS.

"In presenting the needs of the several industries," he advised, great care should be exercised that the case be neither overstated nor understated. If understated, and rates are based upon such understatement, then the protection given will not be sufficient and the result will be unsatisfactory, as was the case in a few instances in the revision of 1921-22.

"On the other hand, if the case be overstated the close and critical scrutiny which is sure to be given every item by both friends and foes of the tariff will surely reveal the exaggeration of the need for protection.

"And the error will recoil upon the heads of those giving the inaccurate information to the injury of the industry that has been thus misrepresented."

4 ARE GRILLED IN VT. SHOOTING

Keene, N. H., Dec. 27—Maurice M. Monette of Brattleboro, Vt., is dying in Keene Hospital from a bullet wound. Police are investigating his story that he was accidentally wounded by his own pistol.

He was found early today by four young men on a lonely road beside his auto. They brought him to the hospital and were questioned by police. All are of prominent families here.

Monette has a bullet wound in the left chest. He told police he was repairing a tire when the revolver in his pocket accidentally discharged.

FIREMEN SAVE A DROWNING DOG

Using two ladders over thin ice, members of Ladder 1 of the Braintree fire department today rescued from drowning an airedale puppy which was struggling in the waters of a pond on Pearl st., that town.

Called by a woman who thought a child had fallen into the water, the firemen, headed by Capt. J. Leo Donnihy, responded, and by using two ladders brought the dog, about seven months old, to land. He was then taken to the firehouse and warmed up.

The puppy was chasing sticks thrown by boys on the thin ice of the pond when it fell through.

Can't Find 'Wild Dog' at Arboretum

Officials of the M. S. P. C. A. announced today they had abandoned the hunt for a wild police dog which frightened men and women in the Arnold Arboretum.

Officers H. N. Andrews and H. F. Doane of the society, after a visit to the Arboretum, reported to their chief, Walter B. Pope, that the police dog is probably a stray pet. As it has not been established the animal is mad and since apparently it is not in pain, there is nothing the society can do.

However, Patrolmen Walter Groves and Harry Chubbuck, regular Arboretum officers of Jamaica Plain station, are maintaining a vigil, with orders to shoot the dog.

Money Pouring in for British Miners

London, Dec. 27 (AP)—The appeal Christmas night by the Prince of Wales over the radio on behalf of the distressed people of England's mining districts brought such hearty response that officials handling the lord mayor's relief fund were today almost buried under an avalanche of mail containing contributions.

The amount probably will not be known until tomorrow, but one official guessed that it would be at least $1,500,000. The two chief gifts were one of $150,000 from Lady Houston and another of $125,000 from Lord Rothermere.

2 Boy Skaters Die as River Ice Breaks

East Hartford, Ct., Dec. 27 (AP)—Anthony Valentine, 12, and George O'Brien, 15, members of a skating party of seven, broke through the ice on Laurel pond in the Hockanum river today and were drowned.

Police! The Radio Is Murdering Jazz!

Cleveland, Dec. 27 (AP)—Radio is killing its first love, jazz, by a sory of slow poisoning method, in the opinion of William Arms Fisher of Boston, president of the Music Teachers' National Association, which opened its 50th annual convention here today.

Jazz is on the down grade, but it has not been an unmixed evil," Fisher said. Jazz, like free verse and modernistic art, is an honest effort to get away from mere pettiness."

Fisher said the mechanistic in music—symbolized by the radio, the new wired radio, and the musical movies, is here to stay

Dog Sled Mail Off for Marshfield, Vt.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Dec. 17 (AP)—With all the dogs in his team in good condition, Alden Pulsifer of Minot, Me., left here at 10:30 a. m. today on a 25-mile run to Marshfield. Pulsifer is driving his sled dog team from Lewiston, Me., to Montreal. He arrived here last night from Lancaster, N. H.

Pulsifer is carrying mail from Lewiston and other points along his route addressed to persons in 40 states. He also has a letter which will be sent to China.

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LOVE AND STORK SHY IN HUB, BUT DEATH IS SURE

Young Dan Cupid is slipping.

As a matter of fact, he has been on the downward grade every year since 1921, with only two exceptions.

Estimated figures maden ublic today at City Hall show that he will be 200 applications for marriage licenses shy of last year's total.

This year there will be approximately 8076 intentions filed against 8276 in 1927. Two banner years stand out, 1921 and 1923, in the last seven. Mr. Cupid in 1921 caught 9319 certificates in his net and in 1923 he captured 9674.

The yearly figures follow:

1921	9319
1922	9023
1923	9674
1924	9138
1925	8601
1926	8607
1927	8276
*1928	8076

*Estimated.

Old Grim Reaper tok his toll from Boston to the tune of 498 additional deaths this year over 11,102 in 1927, while births dropped from 24.1 in 1927 to 23.6 this year or an estimated number of birth s of 18,850. The number of infants to die during the present year is estimated at 1420, which will show at the end of the year to be slightly below the percentage of the death rate of 1927.

The figures of 1927 are based on a population of 793,000 and those of this year on 799,200 souls.

Offers $25,000 for Rome-N. Y. Flight

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—A 5500-mile flight from Rome to Dallas, Tex., by way of New York, for a prize of $25,000 or $50,000 was proposed today by Col. William E. Easterwood, Jr., of Dallas, chewing gum manufacturer and World War flier.

Colonel Easterwood, who sponsored a proposed 10,000-mile flight from Dallas to Hongkong for a prize of $50,000, said the project had been abandoned in the interests of safety in favor of the shorter transatlantic-trans-continental journey.

Justice Moves Along In Springfield

Springfield, Dec. 27 (AP)—Less than three weeks after the commission of the crime of which he is accused, Joseph T. Canty of this city, 37 years old, was placed on trial in Superior court today on a charge of manslaughter in causing the death of his wife, Elizabeth, by beating. Canty in a signed statement admits beating the woman, whom he accused of drunkenness and unfaithfulness, but denies that he intended to kill her.

New Smallpox Case In Gardner Makes 4

One new case of smallpox discovered today in Gardner brought the total number of cases in the city up to four, the State Department of Health learned today.

More than 1500 citizens have been vaccinated. A free clinic is being maintained there.

GIRL SLEUTHS TRAP STUDENTS SHOPLIFTING

Two girl sleuths caught two students, acting as salesmen in a downtown store in the Christmas rush, stealing expensive pajamas and gloves, according to testimony today in Municipal court.

The students are Frank Cunningham and Michael Shanahan.

A sentence of three months in the House of Correction was given each of these defendants, but the sentences were suspended on condition that they make restitution.

Special Officers Dwyer and Lynch of Milk st. division told of putting girl detectives on their trail, leading to the discovery that they were working a system of purchases and credits.

Cunningham was credited with larceny of 20 pairs of gloves and Shanahan with 20 pairs of gloves and three pairs of pajamas. William F. Meader, a regular salesman, charged with larceny or three pairs of pajamas, was placed on trial, but his case was continued till tomorrow.

Throats Give Up Toy Plane, Peanut, Meat

Philadelphia, Dec. 27 (AP)—Christmas brought extra work to the bronchoscopic clinic of the University of Pennsylvania graduate hospital and its first "aviation" case.

A wheel from a toy airplane was removed last night from the throat of Earl Hummel, Jr., 5, Mt. Holly, N. J.

Eleanor Kinley, 8, of Williamsport, Pa., was discharged after a peanut was extricated from her lung.

A piece of meat which lodged in the throat of Mrs. Lilly Worsley, Bethlehem, Pa., was removed, but she was kept under observation.

Vermont Slayer of Farmer, Gets 5 Years

Bennington, Vt., Dec. 27 (AP)—Eastman Root, East Rupert farmer who was convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of Charles H. Danforth, a neighboring farmer, was sentenced today to serve from five to ten years.

Root was charged with having clubbed Danforth over the head in a dispute about a strip of land.

U. S. Brings Suit In Egg Conspiracy

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—Charging conspiracy in restraint of trade, the federal government has filed suit against the Chicago Mercantile Exchange as a result of several egg brokers being caught "short" recently in connection with future deals.

Judge Says "Pay!"

Found guilty of carrying a revolver, with five bullets, Horatio de Marco of Bakers ave., Norfolk End, was given a sentence of six months in the House of Correction in municipal court today. He appealed and was released under $1,000 bail.

FREIGHT TRAIN CRASH VICTIMS

Helen Ferris, 11, of East Fourth st., South Boston, who, with her mother, Mrs. Annie Ferris, and Mrs. Margaret Connolly of South Boston, were the three passengers on a trolley car who were injured when the car and a freight train collided in Atlantic ave

DKE CONVENES HERE TODAY

Delegates to the 34th annual Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity convention are registering today at the Copley-Plaza.

The annual smoker will be held tonight at 8:30 at the University Club where there will be an informal reception to delegates and to all members of the fraternity.

The chief events scheduled include wrestling exhibitions given by Gus Sonnenberg, contender for the world's championship wrestling honors, and John Spellman, former Brown athlete, and boxing exhibitions which will be provided by George L. Cole, Jr., and Ernest B. Bassette, Dartmouth stars.

Jack Sharkey, Boston's aspirant for heavyweight honors, is also expected to be present.

In addition, several surprise novelties have been planned by the smoker committee which is headed by James R. Chandler, Dartmouth '29.

The general committee in charge of the convention comprises: Chairman Charles F. Weed, George S. Goodspeed and Daniel W. Ashley.

Milk From Contented Trees, the Latest From Guatemala

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—"Milk from contented trees" might well be a slogan in Guatemala.

Samuel J. Record, wood technologist on the staff of the Field Museum, has returned from Central America bringing a sample of milk and wood from the Guatemalan cow tree.

The milk is palatable and tastes and looks much like cow's milk. Record said a "dairy" of cow trees would be practical. He added, however, that the tree might be used more profitably in the manufacture of chewing gum.

British Plane Saves U.S. Woman at Kabul

London, Dec. 27 (AP)—It was understood today that evacuation of foreigners from Kabul, capital of Afghanistan, would continue until all were removed.

Brief dispatches recorded the arrival at many, including one American woman. They were brought from Kabul by British planes.

A dispatch from New Delhi, India, today said that the American woman rescued was a Mrs. Isaacson. Her husband remained in Kaoul, taking refuge in the French Legation.

NEW ROTHSTEIN SLAYER CLUE

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—A "red hot" clue to the Arnold Rothstein murder mystery blossomed today out of Commissioner Grover A. Whalen's vigorous shakeup of the police department.

Whalen himself announced it. But the man who uncovered this lead "of utmost importance" is Deputy Chief Inspector Edward P. Mulrooney, the new chief of the city's detectives.

"Our new lead may show important results before nightfall," Whalen said. "I am going to turn over my information at once to Dist. Atty. Banton."

Chief Finn's Brother Now a Sergeant

Patrolman George R. Finn, brother of Police Chief Charles M. Finn of Chelsea, was promoted to a sergeantcy today by Mayor Lawrence F. Quigley. He has been on the force 12 years. The position has been vacant since the city council created an additional sergeantcy several months ago.

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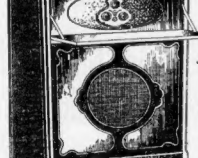

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NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER III.
PILLOW-SLIP.

STANDING behind the chair, waiting with chugging heart, Genevieve repeated to herself: "I must keep my head."

It seemed long until she heard the key inserted into the lock, and even had time to wonder what she would do, once she had—no matter how—gained the hall. Time enough then. But whatever happened, she must not drop the piece of glass.

She was startled, and blinded, for, before the door opened, the light in her room had been turned on. She blinked, now, in the glare and then looked hastily about the room again. There was one thing she had forgotten to put away. Over the foot of the bed was the pillow slip, and a strip of sheeting.

But it was too late now. She could only hope that he would not notice them—whoever he was.

The knob was turning, the door was opening. Her mouth went dry. She tried to still the shaking which made it hard not to drop the glass dagger. She must remember that she might have to kill somebody!

He was a small, bald man, with a drooping moustache, and beady brown eyes. She thought swiftly, "Why, he's not much taller than I am, he looks soft." His mouth twitched nervously, and he kept running his tongue along his lower lip. His beady eyes were set close together. There was a grease spot on the lapel of his brown suit. He looked evil, but, too, he looked stupid.

Genevieve's fear gave way to disgust. Disgust made way for hope.

Then, suddenly, like an inspiration, it occurred to her that, if she could keep her nerve even without murder, there was a way.

The man came into the room, closed the door, leaned back against it. He looked at her, appraisingly.

She must not let him see that she was frightened!

"Well," he said, in a high thin voice "you look good to me."

A wave of nausea swept over her "I must try to smile," she told herself, but her teeth were chattering. This would never do. If he guessed at her fright, he might take advantage of it, she might have to murder him. If she could keep him from guessing, her plan—and she suddenly discovered that her mind quite efficiently had worked out a plan, in great detail—might work. It was a horrid, sickening scheme, but it might, it just possibly might work.

She thanked heaven that she had forgotten to put away the pillow slip.

She started, feigning alarm.

"What was that?" she asked, suddenly.

"What?" he asked, catching some of her alarm.

"At the window."

He turned to look In an instant she had entangled the strip of torn sheet about his ankles and thrown

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'LADY COPS' TO CLEAN UP THE DANCE HALLS

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—For the New York police force, life has been just one continual round of surprises during the brief tenure of office of Grover Whalen, commissioner.

Jolted by a wholesale shakeup in the personnel of the force, the drive against criminals and speakeasies and the gigantic roundup of underworld denizens, veteran members of "the finest" were gasping today at Whalen's announced intention to send "lady cops" and strong arm squads into action to wipe out shady dance halls and questionable resorts

Hitherto the city's 125 policewomen have had little to do except matron duty and acting as decoys in arresting mashers. Now the intrigued efficiency envisions them as veritable amazons, making spectacular forays into night clubs and wielding nightsticks much in the manner of Carrie Nation with her hatchet.

Whalen believes the "lady cops" can visit dance halls and get evidence of a type which men cannot obtain. The male "treat 'em rough" squad will concentrate against "tough customers."

SEEKS CLUES IN SLAYING

Capt. Charles van Amburg of the State police is shown in Boston Evening American staff photo examining a revolver, taken from a safe breaker now in State Prison, which is believed to have been used in the murder of Patrolman Francis J. Gilleland of Medford on last July 2. Gilleland, shown in insert, was shot down by confederates of a safe breaker he had captured in Peckham's pharmacy on Boston ave., Medford Hillside.

The Boston Evening American is a paper pledged to preserve peace among the citizens of this nation and promote the peace of the world.

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN
A HOME PAPER FOR PEOPLE WHO THINK
SECOND SECTION
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PACIFIC HOPPER TO VISIT HUB

BANDITS WRECK TRAIN

Hesperia, Cal., Dec. 27 (INS)—Between seven and nine persons were injured one of them seriously, when the Santa Fe passenger train No. 22, eastbound was partially derailed early today, while speeding at the rate of 60 miles an hour near here.

An inspection of the rails at the spot where the cars rolled off, according to Deputy Sheriff Farley, revealed the fact that the spikes of the first rail along a slight curve had been removed.

The removal of the spikes, Farley declared, was accomplished shortly before midnight, possibly by a gang of bandits who contemplated stopping the train and holding it up

Company officials declared that an immediate hunt will be started for the outlaws who are believed to have removed the spikes.

Five Pullman sleeping cars and a private business car, occupied by Asst. Supt. McGee of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, flew off the rails. Three of the sleeping cars hurtled down a 20-foot embankment.

The accident occurred as the crack passenger train was speeding down grade.

The engine, smoking car and two baggage cars remained on the rails.

TRAIN KILLS 6 IN AUTO IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—Six persons were killed early today when a Soo line train struck an automobile at a grade crossing in Oak Park.

The automobile, carrying seven passengers, had stopped as one train passed by, and then had gone ahead, directly into the path of the other.

The dead were

Henry Olsen (driver), Berwin, Ill.
Mrs. Henry Olsen.
Ralnor Olsen.
Mrs. Ralnor Olsen.
Their son, Arnold, and an 11-year-old daughter.

Rain and darkness are blamed for the accident.

British and American Ships Open Rate War

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—The departure today of the Cunarder Caronia, bound for Havana, marked the official opening of the rate war between the English company and American shipping firms engaged in the New York to Havana service.

When the Caronia makes her next trip to Havana on January 5 she will find the United States liner President Roosevelt as her only competitor.

To Fly Seas

SKY-RIDER

Mrs. Keith "Chubby" Miller, who will be a co-pilot on proposed Atlantic flight of Capt. Harry Lyon next year. Capt. Lyon was on Southern Cross during epochal United States-Australian hop.

SOUTHERN CROSS HERO PLANS TRIP TO U. S.

The Australian half of the crew of the airplane Southern Cross on its epochal flight from San Francisco to Australia is likely to visit Boston in the near future to visit Capt. Harry Lyon, the American navigator of the plane, and who is now living here.

In a letter dated Sydney, Australia, from C. P. Kingsford Smith, commander of the plane, to the writer announcing his intention to come to America and to see Charles T. P. Ulm, who was with him on the flight, and to see also the other Americans, Major A. Warner, radio operator.

The letter, which breathed a warm spirit of friendship existing between the heroes of two continents, said:

I was mighty glad to get your letter and to hear that you are likely to have a crack at the Atlantic.

Also please thank Capt. Bill Lancaster and Mrs. Keith "Chubby" Miller for their kind notes. (These two are to be members of Lyon on his proposed Atlantic hop next year.)

STORM ADDS TO PERIL.

I guess by this time you have read of our return flight across the Tasman sea, and although you probably remember it was not quite as pleasant experience as the first trip, but after having a very [illegible] we [illegible] that the [illegible] was a great [illegible] news.

Although not quite as long as darn storm had the same [illegible] of very severe lightning and [illegible] I never, I do not any minute we were [illegible]

We [illegible] hail, and the rain [illegible] were dropped to [illegible] of our [illegible] by lightning [illegible] the [illegible] of some [illegible] was [illegible] [illegible] time, [illegible] to the [illegible] we [illegible] being on [illegible] th. As a matter of fact, the [illegible] about 11 miles per [illegible]

MUST BE 100 P. C. FIT

A word of advice to you, old son, is to make absolutely certain that your equipment is one hundred per cent the wash many [illegible] and left [illegible] Lancaster to [illegible] on [illegible] flying, as you are sure to make much of that crossing the Atlantic.

Charles and I are going to be in America in the next three months and [illegible] not going [illegible] to see [illegible] and [illegible] that the [illegible] film was a great [illegible] and [illegible] back [illegible] and here, and [illegible] we can all [illegible] to see it a film.

continuing

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150	Plain and Printed Jerseys. Originally 16.50 ..... now	9.95
300	New Flat Crepe Afternoon Dresses. Specially priced	14.75
250	New Georgette Afternoon Dresses. Specially priced	14.75
150	New Printed Frocks	14.75
100	New Satin Afternoon Dresses. Specially priced	14.75

Jordan Marsh Company

Reserve Your Table Now For New Year's Eve

Theater Stars at Symphony Tonight

Tonight will be theatrical night at the Symphony Restaurant, Huntington ave., with many of the leading stars from Boston playhouses as guests. Large crowd is then out as Thursday night for this theater's regular program of dinner, with augmented music, dancing and a program of stage numbers. Perley Stevens and his Velvet Tone recording orchestra are flying fast, with prices ruling about the same as last year.

Jimmie Gallagher Has a Big Program

Jimmie Gallagher of the Brass Rail announces a big program for New Year's Eve with the dining talent fresh from Broadway theaters. Reservations are coming in rapidly and New Years will be ushered in with plenty of hilarity. There is a circus night and Broadway holiday nights. The revue, headlined by 10 of the freshest people ever presented at any Boston night club.

No Cover Charge at Barn New Year's Eve

Freddie Sorenson, manager of the Barn cafe, Newburyport, announces a chance for Boston folks to avoid cover charge. The Barn will be open New Year's Eve and Day, with chicken dinner on New Year's Eve there will be a big program of entertainment, and dancing. Lou Cambridge and his serenaders.

Old Mill Tavern's New Year's Eve Party

The Old Mill Tavern, on the Providence State road between Wrentham and Norfolk, will be the scene of a gala New Year's Eve party. Lou Cambridge and his serenaders will be there, with a short auto ride from Boston. Reservations are being made at the new resort which is a result of Bob Gordon and Providence patron co-operation.

Hub Plans Jazziest Greeting Ever for New Year

New Year's Eve will be no time for sleep around Boston. Various Hub hotels are getting ready for the noisiest of noisy celebrations, and have purchased thousands of "noisemakers" and other quiet-disturbing devices. It looks as though Baby 1929 will receive a welcome here that will eclipse anything ever attempted here before.

Jazz bands are at a premium, with private parties taking a lot of saxophone players, drums and in some instances entire orchestras. Reservations are flying fast, with prices ruling about the same as last year.

Pick Young, Morrow for Geneva Parley

Paris, Dec. 27 (INS)—The naming of Owen D. Young and Dwight W. Morrow, both Americans, as experts to sit with the new Reparations committee, was announced today.

Mr. Young, former New York city lawyer, a director of a host of big corporations and recently chairman of the Radio Corporation of America, and Mr. Morrow, United States ambassador to Mexico, Mr. Morrow is a brother of the wife of Vice President.

Colgate Sends Jokes From Hospital Bed

Orange, N. J., Dec. 27 (AP)—Sidney M. Colgate, 20-year-old student at Princeton university, is in a hospital with a compound fracture of the right arm as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident here Christmas day, but he has not lost his sense of humor. Colgate sent a telegram from his room to a number of friends in which he said:

"Merry Christmas. Am in bed with a broken arm. Wish you were here."

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New Chinese Cafe Opens Saturday

Mah Jong, Boston's newest Chinese-American restaurant, will open on Saturday night, with a gala program, at the former Boston Gardens, Hotel Metropolitan. Wanton S. Lee, formerly of the Sun Sun Restaurant, Huntington ave., is manager, and he announces a big program of entertainment both on Saturday night and on New Year's eve.

A cabaret show and special vaudeville acts will be featured with dance music by Jack Holmes and his Mah Jong band. The interior has been entirely refinished and redecorated, and a new dance floor has been placed in the center of the garden.

Broadway Revue at Yen Ho Restaurant

Yen Ho Restaurant, 245 Tremont st., will present a Broadway Beauty Revue on New Year's Eve in addition to the regular cabaret show. Favors, souvenirs and noise makers will help the crowd to ring out the old and ring in the New Year.

Big New Year's Eve at the Tom's Cabin

A big New Year's Eve party has been planned at Tom's Cabin, Westwood, 10 miles from Boston on the Providence state road. A cabaret show with dancing and a wonderful dinner will make the evening complete.

Reveals Attempt to "Burn Up Town"

Hemlock, O., Dec. 27 (AP)—This hamlet today awaited arrival of a state fire marshal to demand arrests for an attempt "to burn up the town." The mayor's office, the jail and an office bunking at the Monongahela Coal Co. mine were destroyed.

Two men are held for investigation. Christmas revellers also are suspected.

Sheriff Harley McNabb said mine workers' meetings were called the first because the coal company has employed outside workers.

B. U. Graduate to Be College Head

Ada, O., Dec. 27 (AP)—Dean Roscoe Williams of Ohio College at Albion, Mich., has been named president of Ohio Northern University here.

Rev. Williams has been dean at Albion College since 1921. He is a graduate of Wesleyan University and of the Boston University Graduate School.

Matches Blamed

Damage estimated by officials at more than $2000 was caused by fire in the cloak and suit establishment of Max Corin, on the second floor of the Bolles building at 793 Washington st. According to the authorities the blaze was caused by careless use of matches.

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Make Reservations Early
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Souvenirs and Favors for All
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NEW YEAR'S EVE
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Gala Celebration
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SIGN CORINNE GRIFFITH FOR TALKIES

By LOLLIA O. PARSONS
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LOS ANGELES, Dec. 27—The turmoil of rumors that have made life for any First National player interesting since Warners took possession of that company has had one interesting sequel. Corinne Griffith, essentially a product of the silent drama, and one of the stars whose future has been in question since First National was sold down the river, has signed a new contract.

Contracts in this business are usually a tiresome subject to the lay, but Griffith's new arrangement is interesting. She has signed to make specials and all of her pictures and those of other tones hadn't made life for the foreign buyer a grand illusion. of the place. Rome once described so graphically.

Now she is being discussed for the feminine lead opposite Jack Gilbert in "Redemption." If Samuel Goldwyn, who you will admit has a good eye for picking winners, and Irving Thalberg get together, it looks very, very much as if Lily will remain on the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer lot for some time. Lily is there now, playing the lead in "The Bridge of San Luis Rey."

THE lot of the leading men with any degree of popularity in Hollywood these days is an enviable one. He is as popular as the season's most beautiful debutante, for all the producers put in a bid for his services days in advance. Jamie Hall, for instance, has just finished playing opposite Vilma Banky in "Child, Fifth Avenue," and now the report is that he will play opposite her again in her next picture. George Durrea has just been signed by Warners to play the leading role opposite Lila Lee in "Honky Tonk." Sophie Tucker's first Vitaphone. Young Durrea has been in no fortunate a role first he came to Hollywood.

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THAT canny person, Winfield Sheehan, has the Fox "Follies" all made and ready to deliver. He didn't allow any effort to go sour. And to look out until the "Follies" were all made. He thought the idea was a good one and he didn't suppose letting anyone steal it. There is talk that Florenz Ziegfeld would gladly give his opinion of the Fox film in no uncertain terms for using the word "Follies." It, of course, will be upon a matter of taste, and Ziegfeld hasn't said anything for publication.

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WE get so in the habit of thinking that any foreign actor is out of the talking list if anyone as a success that Boy Ling, Chinese dancing beauty, is being much heard after. Her first appearance was with "Red Wing," a Fox picture, and later she was seen in the film Erlanger revue at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

Having been trained in the Chinese theater in Canton, she knows all the oriental dancing steps and theatre interpretations that are so interesting to the Americans and that go so well in those new talkies.

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FAR be it from me to ever do an injustice to anyone, least of all so distinguished a playwright as Eugene Walter. Walter sends me a telegram and says I did him an injury when I said Fox had not exercised an option.

"My agreement with Fox," says Walter, "was only for six months without any options of any kind and I was offered another contract. But because of my own interests I informed Mr. Sheehan I could not sign any contract at this time and we parted the very best of friends. Am quite sure he is thoroughly satisfied with my work." So be it. We are glad that the talkies have treated Walter right.

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IN a few weeks we will start naming the best 13 pictures of the year. I'd like to have help from our readers in making this selection. Please write and give us your choice for the best 12 pictures of the year. Send them to me care of the Los Angeles Examiner.

Pope's Physician Is Pneumonia Victim

Rome, Dec. 27 (AP)—The holiday joy has been dampened at the Vatican by the death of Dr. Andrea Amici, the Pope's physician, also served Pope Pius X.

Dr. Amici's illness was extremely brief. He attended the Pope's jubilee mass on Dec. 20 in full health, but shortly after was stricken with bronchial pneumonia.

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Nickie Alpert, Master of Ceremonies
Special Table D'Hote Dinner 6 to 10 P. M. $2.50 (No Cover) Everything Sat. & Holidays

Aids Program

Bob Berger, proprietor of the cafe that bears his name, who served delicious waffles and maple syrup to the members of the Martha Lee kitchen class.

MARTHA LEE'S KITCHEN CLASS IS FETED

Even among amateurs perfected with Christmas turkey, the magic words "waffles and coffee" seemed to strike an immediate response, judging from the fine attendance at Martha Lee's and Bob Berger's waffle party, in the Martha Lee kitchen, yesterday.

Mr. Berger, with his usual generosity, provided ample refreshments in quantities sufficient to enable every single guest to enjoy a real Bob Berger waffle, with its full quota of real maple syrup. Incidentally, Mr. Berger, however, was unable to be present personally, owing to a bad cold, but furnished a very popular substitute, Mr. Anthony, manager of the Bob Berger Shop.

Mr. Anthony gave a fine talk on home-making in general, and waffle-making in particular, paying a splendid tribute to the home ideals which the Martha Lee Kitchen tries to materialize.

The four waffle irons certainly worked overtime, turning out the tender, delicious waffles for which the Bob Berger Shop has earned a fine reputation. This is next week's to the Metropolitan Theater on Tremont st., and is especially interesting to drop in after the picture, for you're sure to find interesting people of the theatrical world enjoying their after-the-show snack.

Amusements

BOSTON'S REGAL WELCOME TO A ROYAL HIT
"Refreshingly amusing."—Globe.
"Filled with bright lines."—Post.
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THE ROYAL FAMILY
WITH AN ALL-STAR CAST
WILBUR
EXTRA MAT. TOMORROW at 2.

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The Theatre Guild Acting Company in EUGENE O'NEILL'S EPIC
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Under Direction of Maurice Frank
Tonight—RIGOLETTO
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Sat. Night—"CAVALLERIA" AND "PAGLIACCI"
Ballet
Grand Week Mon. at 8—"Carmen" Tues. Eve.—"Aida" Wed. Mat.—"Aida" Thurs. Eve.—"Faust" Fri. Eve.—"Carmen" Sat. Mat.—"Faust" Sat. Eve.—"Rigoletto" Sat. Night—"Forza del Destino"
Prices—Mon., $1, $1.50 Matinee, 50c, 75c, $1

PLYMOUTH—NOW
AND SO TO BED
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GLOBE
COLLEEN MOORE in "LILAC TIME" with marvelous sound effects
"CITY OF PURPLE DREAMS"
Mornings 10-15c Mats. 15-25c
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STAR of "HIT THE DECK" and "LADY IN ERMINE"
IN "THREE IN LOVE"
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JOE DALY & HIS DO-EDS
With Helen Lewis
BARRY & WHITLEDGE
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Vitaphone Presented at 2:15 & 9:25
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On the Screen WILLIE SOLAR The International Star
Comedy
CAIN & LEWIS and The London Palace Girls
NEXT WEEK—GALA MIDNIGHT REVUE
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ALL GREAT SCENE SHOW

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Paramount's newest film romance with talking and singing sequences!
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Last Showings This Morning
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NEW YEAR'S EVE MIDNIGHT SHOW
GENERAL ADMISSION—SEATS NOW
HOME OF Paramount Pictures
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"THE AIR CIRCUS" in Movietone
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Rodemich & Band—Public Revue with a Band of bright stars
GRAND ORCHESTRA
OVERTURE TREAT
MARTEL at the GREAT ORGAN
Doors Open at 9:30 A. M.
25c before 1—4 full shows
Emil Jannings in "Sins of the Fathers" Week of Jan 6

LOEW'S ORPHEUM
Week St. & Hamilton Pl.—Cont. from 9 A. M.
United Artists Present LEW AYRES in
DOLORES DEL RIO in "REVENGE"
A SOUND PICTURE
LATEST & GREATEST
Local Newsy Comedy
Dooley & Sales
Wacky Way Comedians
Gene & Barrows
Billy Daly
Radio and Recording Artist
Warden Bros.
All Sensational—Step on Nite
Evenings 25c 32.50 to 32.50 35c 2.30 to 5.30 50c
NEXT WEEK
White Shadows in the South Seas
With Monte Blue. A Second Picture and Loew's Great Vaudeville

OLYMPIA FENWAY
Beginning SATURDAY—DEC. 29
NEWEST TALKING PICTURE SUCCESS!
Fannie BRICE
in "MY MAN"
Evenings 25c 32.50 35c 2.30 50c
NEXT WEEK
"ON TRIAL"
with MILTON SILLS, RICHARD DIX and Her Own Company
VITAPHONE MOVIETONE

KEITH-ALBEE
WASHINGTON ST. at BOYLSTON
TALKING FEATURE
"GANG WAR"
with JACK PERRIN and CORA SUE COLLINS
ALL NEW STAGE SHOW
GEORGE E. MACKINNON Welcome Boy Ed for
JOE TOUCEY—Baritone Tenorist
At Matinee of Conclusion
All Seats Reserved—Show Starts at 11:30 P. M.

TREMONT MAT. SAT. Evgs. at 8:15
Seats Now for New Year's Mat. and Night
NEXT MIDNITE SHOW MONDAY — NEW YEAR'S EVE
THE SENSATION of TWO CONTINENTS!
LEW LESLIE'S BLACKBIRDS
With an All STAR CAST of 100 COLORED ARTISTES
FASTEST, FUNNIEST, MOST TUNEFUL REVUE IN AMERICA
Matinee Wednesday and Saturday at 2:15
Evenings 8:15 Sharp—$2.50 INCLUDE Seat Service

NOW AT NEIGHBORHOOD THEATRES

ALLSTON
ALLSTON
"Land of the Silver Fox"
A Talking Picture
Vitaphone Specialties
CAPITOL
"STREET ANGEL"
With Janet Gaynor
Charles Farrell
Now Showing

CAMBRIDGE
CENTRAL SQUARE
Rin Tin Tin in "Land of the Silver Fox"
A Talking Picture
Get Tickets Now for New Year's Eve Show
HARVARD
"POWER"
Mary Astor in "HEART TO HEART"
PORTER
Warner Baxter & Ray Hatton in "The Big Killing"
Also Rin Tin in "The Old Code"
UNIVERSITY
"KING OF KINGS"
Harold Bevis, Mgr. Notice to Patrons
CHARLESTOWN
HOUSTON
"Three Big Mornings"
"ANNAPOLIS" with an All Star Cast
CHELSEA
OLYMPIA
"THE RIVER PIRATE"
Vitaphone Specialties
DORCHESTER
CODMAN
"THE RIVER PIRATE"
Chas. Bailey Rogers in "ANNAPOLIS"
Midnite Show New Year's Eve
DORCHESTER
Victor McLaglen in "THE RIVER PIRATE"
Vitaphone Specialties
FIELDS CORNER
"THE RIVER PIRATE"
Vitaphone Presentations
Notice of Paramount Pictures
LIBERTY
Lewis Stone in "Three Live Ghosts"
Vitaphone Specialties
MORTON
"THE RIVER PIRATE"
Vitaphone Specialties
STRAND
"Land of the Silver Fox"
Vitaphone Subjects
Midnight Show New Year's Eve
GROVE HALL
SHAWMUT
2 Second Pictures. "Annapolis" with Johnny Mack Brown, Rex Vitaphone Acts
Mats. Only "The Circus." Shows at 2 & 9
JAMAICA PLAIN
JAMAICA
Colleen Moore in "LILAC TIME"
We Reserve in "EXCESS BAGGAGE." Prices Are Legal
Midnite Show New Year's Eve

MALDEN
GRANADA MALDEN
HERBERT RAWLINSON in Person! 3 Acts Vitaphone Features
"ANNAPOLIS"
Large Free Auto Park
STRAND MALDEN
Chas. Farrell Janet Gaynor in "STREET ANGEL"
With Movietone
Now Showing
Next Week—"THE TERROR"

REVERE
REVERE THEATRE
Rin Tin Tin and Mary Astor in "UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"
Vitaphone News—Vitaphone Acts
Midnite Show New Year's Eve

REVERE BEACH
CRESCENT GARDENS
Bebe Daniels in "The Night Watch"
Rin Tin Tin in "A Race For Life"
Tomorrow—"VARSITY"

ROSLINDALE
RIALTO
Al Jolson in a Vitaphone Presentation
"The Singing Fool"
Shows at 2, 5, 7, 9

ROXBURY
DUDLEY
Tom Mix in "Son of the Golden West"
Now Showing
"The Divine Sinner"
RIVOLI
John Mack Brown in "ANNAPOLIS"
Sound Presentation
"ANNAPOLIS"
Added Feature Hoth. "PETER PAN"

SOMERVILLE
DAY SQUARE
A Second Picture "GUN RUN"
Vitaphone Specialties
Midnite Show New Year's Eve
STRAND
Jack Holt in "The Water Hole"
Also "THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER"

SOUTH BOSTON
BROADWAY
John Mack Brown in "ANNAPOLIS"
Dan Barton in "Rough Riding Red"
STRAND
Now and Next "Plastered in Paris" with Sally Eilers
"RECKLESS LIVING" with Robert Ames
"BECKY IN THE FOG" A Talking Picture

SOUTH END
STRAND
Vitaphone Talking Picture
Rin Tin Tin in "Land of the Silver Fox"
Vitaphone Subjects
Midnight Show New Year's Eve
NATIONAL
Now Showing
"POWER"
With Victor McLaglen
Sound Bills Open in "The Night Watch"

WALTHAM
CENTRAL SQUARE
Sue and Next AL JOLSON in "The Singing Fool"
5 Shows Daily at 2-5-7-9
EMBASSY
WOODY ST.
C. E. Arthur Kerl Dana in "BROTHERLY LOVE"
Matinees Here and Auto
Midnite Show New Year's Eve
WALDORF
The AUGUSTIN STOCK Co. in "The Old Homestead" with the Old Homestead Tree Dramatization Between the Acts

UNIVERSITY CLUB BATTLES McGILL SIX

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

SPEED, ACCURACY, INTEGRITY — NEWS THE DAY IT HAPPENS

BOSTON EVENING AMERICAN — THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1928

Mack Picks Schaaf to Beat Risko

MR. BOSTON
By Jack Conway

"TEX RICKARD isn't going to toss Jack Sharkey and Johnny Buckley overboard after all," said Mr. Boston as he came in to the Sporting Department today.

"I was in Barlow's downtown office when the telephone started to jingle," went on the veteran. "Barlow picked up the receiver to find Rickard at the other end of the wire.

"'Hello, Tex,' I heard Jommy say. 'Did you get my Christmas card?' You say you're on the way to get a train to Miami, Fla. Well, Tex, I hope you have a swell trip.

"'Wait—but you asked about Sharkey?' You still want him to fight Young Stribling at Miami? Well, Tex, Sharkey never did run away from a fight. If, take the match if Sharkey is guaranteed 100 grand. You say you need some smelling salts? Well, Tex, think my proposition over during your train ride to Miami and I'll sign on the dotted line if you slip me the information that 100 grand is okay.

"'You say, he figured it's too much dough for Sharkey. Didn't you pay Tunney $990,000 for a little affair with Heeney last summer? Remember, Tex, you put up a couple more moneys on Sharkey. He has drawn $100,000 for only seven bouts. If you had a few more Sharkeys around you could get rich.

"'You say you want to talk my proposition over with some backers first. I want you to hear from you. After all, Tex, Sharkey and myself would like to get a peek at Miami, especially if we're to bring 100 grand back with us. A fight on New Year's Day is no time for you to talk with your backers at Miami. But be sure and don't reverse the charge. Goodbye Tex and may the sun stay in Florida be a pleasant one. I'll see you down there if you come there with the 100 grand.'

"THIS breezy conversation indicated to me that there isn't going to be any war to the pugilistic death between Tex Rickard as the party of the first part and Jack Sharkey and Johnny Buckley as parties of the second part.

"The warring parties have developed a great love for each other, as it is possible they may cut up a $500,000 gate.

"Rickard has also taken recognition of the fact the leading sport writers of the country have proclaimed Sharkey heavyweight champion. And Tex cannot afford to have a fight with a young man who can help him make a great deal of money.

"BUCKLEY'S demand for $100,000 for Sharkey's services would have knocked the average promoter stiff, but I believe Rickard will survive the shock. Tex has been accustomed to dealing in large figures. Just now he is anxious to do something big for Miami and also promote an important bout under his own direction.

"Sharkey and Stribling will make the best possible card for Miami. Rickard knows this better than anybody else. He already has birthing at the end of the ball sewed up and, unless I am 100 per cent wrong in my size up of Rickard, he will not permit the mere matter of 100 grand to stand in the way of his landing the match.

"I HAVE an idea that Sharkey, Buckley and Rickard may go in surf bathing at Miami before spring. The Sharkey-Stribling match is not so much up in the air as it was a few days ago. It looks as though the bout will be closed after Rickard has had an opportunity to talk things over with his backers at Miami."

Passing the Puck

By BILL GRIMES

Our Bruins are laying off until Sunday night, when they will tackle the New York Rangers in Madison Square Garden.

The natives did not look so well against the Blackhawks, but they have as much ability as any team in the league and if allowed to go out there on their own, would prove this assertion.

Joe Conant and Sonny Manning of the Tigers will be loaned to the Lewiston club. Conant and Manning need at least a season of class D hockey to fit themselves for Can-Am. League competition.

Clark Heyd is rapidly establishing himself as one of the best youngsters in the Canadian-American league. Heyd is playing his first season of professional hockey, but he has been delivering with such marked regularity that he is one of the best prospects in any of the minor leagues.

Eddie Oatman, captain of the Tigers, is of the opinion that scoring would be increased if body checking was eliminated.

Oatman's claim is that under the present day system it is fatal to keep the eye on the puck, as the only sure path to safety is to devote all possible attention to the watching of opponents.

Joe McGoldrick, who is a product of Calgary, has been playing such a fine brand of hockey for Portland, Ore., that he will be drafted to one of the N. H. L. clubs next season. McGoldrick is a defense man and will probably wear a Ranger uniform next season.

The Bruins act as though they felt that any false move might be the cause of their being sent to one of the minor league clubs. Until some physical conditions are eliminated the Bruins are not going to show at their best.

Corbett Denneny, recently acquired by Manager Sprague Cleghorn of Newark, should strengthen the Bulldogs. All Cleghorn needs is a couple of good second string men and he will put Newark right up in the thick of the Can-Am fight.

Red Horner, who broke into the Maple Leaf lineup a week ago, has been forced out of the game with a broken hand. Horner has been on the reserve list of Toronto for a year, but he has been playing with the Marlboro Juniors for a year.

The Marlboro team is one of the best amateur outfits in Toronto and numbers among its alumni such players as Eddie Burke, Bill Field, Harley Frost and Clark Heyd, of the Tigers.

Young Klein, who was expected to be a sensation with the Bruins, has been shipped to Providence. Jimmie Gardner has been ordered to use Klein on the wing.

But the young Bruin has little chance of displacing Hago Harrington or Gizzy Hart. Klein's only chance to grab a regular berth with the Reds is on the defense.

J. Norman Gainor, son of Martin Gainor and better known as Dutch Gainor, is rapidly winning his way into the most select group of N. H. L. scorers.

J. Norman has turned in some of the most sensational solo feats ever produced by a Bruin, and he is one of the biggest favorites on the club. Dutch is an exceptionally smart puck carrier and has few peers working his way through a defense.

ERNIE SE... FOR FRA... IN GARDEN

Schaaf at Best Against Fig... er of Risko's Type; Clevela... Man Tough Foe, Howev...

Promoter Eddie Mack ... joined the fistic critics who p... dict a victory for Ernie Scha... hard-hitting Hub sailor, wh... he clashes with Johnny Ris... at the new Boston Garden ... morrow night.

Mack bases his judgment on ... fact that Schaaf always has bee... his best when he has been p... against an aggressive type of fig... er, as has Risko, who never take... a backward step when he's on... boring in tactics to win for him.

WANTS MALONEY MATCH

Then, too, Mack points out t... Schaaf has been training Jimmy ... loney for the past six months ... to have the South Boston hea... weight repeatedly refuse to m... him. If Maloney fears to step ... the ring to meet Schaaf, on ac... of his tremendous punch, and M... now is able to beat Risko, then M... figures that Schaaf, too, should ... able to take the measure of ... Cleveland...

But Risko has never feared h... hitter, as evidenced by his past ... quests in the ring, and upon his ... rival in the Hub last night, he ... fered to his meeting with Sch... with extreme confidence.

RISKO HOT AFTER MALONEY

In spite of the fact that Risko ... sists that he was given the wo... of the decision against Maloney he... the Cleveland man is eager to ... ing forward to another meeting w... the South Boston man. Risko is ... accepting no two clouds that he w... robbed but he insists that he is ... titled to another bout.

But a victory tomorrow ni... against Schaaf will just about ... sure Risko of two more big sh... in the Hub as Promoter Eddie M... is prepared to put him against ... Maloney and Sharkey, two fig... which would be sure to draw ... mens houses.

Jimmy Byrne, Louisville hea... weight, is out to turn the tables ... Jake Warren of New York in ... secondary 10-round feature. Byrn... only defeat during the past y... was at the hands of Warren and ... is now anxious to turn the tab... on him.

HOFFMAN ON CARD

George Hoffman, former natio... amateur heavyweight champ... who has beaten Jack Humbe... Marvin Schechter and other s... since quitting the amateur ra... will make his bow here as a ... against Al Fay of Los Ange... Fay, who is one of Jack Ke... dependables, is a survivor of ... Vestris and he is sure to be ... comed here.

In another heavyweight bout, ... rv Mitchell of Cambridge m... Big Boy Rawson of Dorche... This bout will settle a long st... ing dispute. Steve Nugent ... Cleveland, Risko's stable mate, ... meet Eddie Curley of the West ... in a six-rounder and Cap Colg... of Charlestown faces Jimmy Cl... ley of North Attleboro in the ... tain raiser.

Sharkey A. A. May Reorganize Soc...

Sharkey A. A., according to a ... port, will be reorganized start... the new year.

It is said that Tony Palazola ... resign as matchmaker of the boxing ... club to act as the New York representative, and that Sam Price who ... has had great success making ... matches in Fall River, will under... take the duties as matchmaker ... for the club.

Black Hawks to Get $750,000 Ice Palace

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—The Black-hawks, Chicago's entry in the National Professional Hockey League, will have a $750,000 ice palace and rink of their own for the 1929-30 season, Maj. Frederic McLaughlin, president of the club, announced today.

"Architects are working on the plans for the new home," Maj. McLaughlin said. It is planned to have an arena seating 12,000, the stands being constructed in an oval shape. The rink would be large enough so a five-lap track can be laid out for speed skaters. The new rink will be erected on the North Side.

Father of "Four Fighting Downeys" Passes Away

Columbus, O., Dec. 27 (AP)—John N. (Pop) Downey, father of the "Four Fighting Downeys," one of whom almost became a champion, was dead today.

Three of his sons, Bryan, Joseph and Anthony, won national recognition in the boxing ring, while John ... was known throughout central Ohio. Bryan fought several times for the middleweight championship of the world and was generally recognized as the superior of Johnny Wilson of Boston, who held the honor, but could seldom be prevailed upon to ... it.

Gardner, Dec. 27—Gardner High basketball team defeated a strong alumni five, 18 to 14, and the High school girls defeated the alumnae team, 25 to 20, at the school gym here.

(By the Associated Press)

Buffalo—Tuffy Griffiths, Sioux City, outpointed Garfield Johnson, Pittsburgh (10).

West Palm Beach, Fla.—Johnny Simons, San Antonio, stopped Spike Kelly, Chicago (3).

McGraw Off to Look Over Cuban Talent

New York, Dec. 27—John McGraw, manager of the Giants, sails for Cuba today on his annual vacation. He will leave on the Cunarder Carouia and will look over some Cuban players while in the Pearl of the Antilles.

On the same ship that is carrying McGraw will be Mort Starobin, who helped Chick Meehan coach the N. Y. U. Violets. Starobin was an all-American tackle at Syracuse several years ago.

FAST TILT AT BOSTON GARDEN TONIGHT

McGill University makes its second appearance at the Bos... Garden tonight when it faces the University Club six. A ... as thrilling as the Harvard-McGill game of last week is ... pated.

... Scarlet and ... visits from Montreal put up a ... display of hockey against a smart Crescent sextet and ... bowed only after an overtime period in which ... player was dealt to a goaler.

LINEUPS AT GARDEN

UNIVERSITY CLUB		McGILL
Bodder, lw.	rw.	Robertson
Chase, c.	c.	Ft. Lehman
Everett, rw.	lw.	Ward
Fitzgerald, lw.	rd.	Smith
Owen, rd.	ld.	McTeer
Currier, g.	g.	Powers

DARTMOUTH AND NAVY MEET IN 1929

... mouth and Navy ... Canada ... four of its ... The game will be ... the last New Years or Patriots' Day ... Navy plays ...

After opening against Navy ... game will be Lehigh, Colgate ... Navy, Columbia ... and Harvard in October, and Yale, ... Penn, Cornell and Annapolis in No... ber.

It is a good schedule and all of ... will be fine drawing attractions ... except the one of the Dartmouth-Navy game.

NAVY WAR NEW ONE

The addition of a game with the Navy is a recent thought at Dart... mouth. When the season ended ... there was no plan to play any ... games after the annual contest in ... ber, but Coach Dartmouth athletic ... Harry ... and Graduate Manager ... Lyons ... proposition ... Navy ... Thanksgiving ... Boston ... Field.

CONSIDER SITE

Just at present the Dartmouth ... and Annapolis ... under... ing both the ... and ... games on the ... Field ... for the ... New York ... Navy ... Harvard ... Princeton, ... Yale ... Annapolis at New York ... Philadelphia.

Send Sprinter to N. Y. Games

... Jack Ryder of the Boston ... track ... ing ... Ryder ... has been invited to ... the ... Millrose ... Garden ... Feb. ... could make any sort of a show ... ing ... ider ... meet of the ...

...us Wilczewski B. C. Track Captain

George "Zeus" Wilczewski of ... Park has been elected captain ... Boston College track team ... this year. He takes up the ... Ernie Nevers left off. ... who was elected temporary leader until a ... vote from at least years letter men could be ma...

Real Sport

New York, Dec. 27.—W... New York sportsmen, ... a large number of ... American tourists at ... Madeira ... Lisbon.

Ball Throwower to Be Rewarded

New Haven Ct., Dec. 27 (AP)—A silver vase to go to the player whose percentage of free throws in the current season has been offered to Yale varsity basketball players by Harold F. Woodcock, general manager of the Yale University Athletic Association. The cup, to be known as the Woodcock Trophy, is of artistic design and stands 15 inches high. Only intercollegiate league games figure in the award, competition for which will begin on January 5 with the Yale-Pennsylvania game at Philadelphia.

Mayes McLain Will Coach Iowa Frosh

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 27—Mayes McLain, fullblood Indian fullback of the University of Iowa football team, will become freshman football coach at the Iowa school.

Billiard Tourney to Bring Foreign Stars

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Billiard stars of the United States, Japan and European countries will compete in the 1929 annual pocket billiard tourney starting here on February 4, under the auspices of the National Billiard Association, according to an announcement made public today by the association.

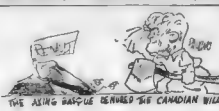
Edouard Horemans, champion of the country, will defend his title and will be opposed by Willie Cochran, Jake Schaefer and Kinsey Mat...

Dooin Held for Doin' Wrong With Machine

Atlantic City, Dec. 27—Catching used to be the best thing that Charley "Red" Dooin did, and yesterday the former Giants' catcher and once manager of the Phillies caught plenty when he was arraigned before Magistrate Joseph A. Corio.

Dooin was charged with disorderly conduct, driving while intoxicated, operating a car without a license and reckless driving. All the charges resulted from a collision between an automobile driven by Dooin and one piloted by Anthony Patroni of this city, who made the complaint. Dooin was held in $400 bail for a hearing next month.

Horace Ford Certainly Did Not Flivver in the Field Last Season



EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS

Sonnenberg Training Hard for Bout With Lewis

GUS WILL BE AT PEAK FOR TITLE GO

Sonny a Real Wrestler Now; Works With Jack Albright to Polish Mat Form and Holds

Gus Sonnenberg, New England's favorite son, has started intensive training for his finish match with Ed "Strangler" Lewis for the heavyweight championship of the world

The bout, which will be staged by Paul Bowser in the Boston Garden a week from Thursday night, will mark the climax of the most spectacular wrestling campaign ever conducted, for it will mean that Sonny, a wrestler for but a year, will be making his second and most determined bid for the grand prize.

His first effort came when he had been wrestling for less than six months. On that occasion, the Boston Arena, June—he had nothing but a desperate courage and a willingness to mix with those two wrestling giants. But somehow Lewis found himself

REAL WRESTLER NOW

His next effort will find Lewis better equipped. This season he has toiled over opponents of many styles with cauliflower ears and has met the greatest drawing card in the country. He has also had the experience of defeating two topnotch wrestlers—Farmer George McLeod and Stanley Stasiak, in addition to a host of lesser lights.

Something is sure in to make an even better showing than he did last June, and many close followers of wrestling believe that the title will change hands a week from tomorrow night. Apparently the general public agrees, for advance ticket sales for the big event have been storming Paul Bowser's office at 133 Washington st. all week, regardless of the holidays.

WORKED WITH ALBRIGHT

Sonny has worked with Jack Albright, known as the man of a thousand holds, and Tolanis gymnasium was packed for the first public showing of the talents of the mat. He showed a dash and a fire and a speed which is backed by a mental determination to remove the crown from the head of probably the greatest wrestling champion that has ever lived.

Lewis is expected in town any one of these days. Bowser has been keeping the wires warm in an attempt to locate Lewis and endeavor to arrange terms, and unfortunately the champion will start his public workouts this week.

Sande String Trains at Maryland Track

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 27—The winter colony at Bowie, as the beauty in history. No less than 35 owners now have horses on the ground.

Earl Sande's group, headed by Nearby, is the most important thing out lately by the Bourman-Hare string in charge of Irish Typhoon.

There are 18 in this band, which includes nine yearlings. Colonel Bradley's three-year-old son of the Kentucky Derby winner Reigh Count is likely to be another of Sande's mounts.

He has had a dozen races to his credit during his 5½ mile pads and very early with his string next year and he selected an excellent training site for the purpose.

Bauer Washington Swimming Coach

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 27—Carl Bauer, physical director at the Missouri Athletic Club, has been appointed head swimming coach at Washington University for this year, according to announcement made by the athletic council.

Bauer, who coached Washington tankmen in 1925, succeeds Artie Eilers, business manager of athletics, as the head mentor. He has recently taken charge of the Boys' swimmers.

Bauer formerly taught swimming in Chicago athletic clubs.

Toss Takes Victory From N. Y. Skater

A bad spill robbed Alice Burnham of the Iceland Rink of New York of victory in the 440 yd. handicap for women at the Boston Arena.

She scrambled to her feet and nearly overhauled Grace Wolfe of Dorchester, the winner.

Ethel Igoge of Roxbury finished third. In the 880 yd. event for men, Walter Thorne was the winner with James Gaudette, second and Rex Finch, third.

DE VOS' MEAL TICKET

REGULA

A fighter is usually Rene Del Vos, Belgi new manager, Anth aire. Biddle is the m Press photo.)

Hudki in Rin

New York, Dec. 2 events of the boxing kinses of Nebraska, a who is now connected

They will battle it that most, if not all, Bill guarantees. Wi

Dewey fast and a good h is said to be no better to the ring. Many m He is also the most willing worker up here in the

There is no doubt whatev it has a soup when Ar time. The pair fight is over front of the ring where the going wa

The pre-game betting on the main ring has swung with it to such an extent for the opening bout at 10 to 7 for Dewey.

Hudkins took on Ruby G and knocked out the ref. Ruby claims a few scars are also

Outdoor Sp

SAY DOC— WHAT'S GOOD TO TAKE WHEN YOURE ALL TIRED OUT?
HOT FRAZ
OUTDOOR SPORTS
TRYING TO GET SOME INFO FROM THE LOCAL DOC AS YOU FILL HIS RATTLER WITH JUICE
HE WAS SMELL SHOCKED AT THE 6 DAY RACE SOMEONE HIT HIM WITH A PEANUT
OH— THERE AIN'T NO USE SINGIN' LIKE THE DEUCE ALL BY YOURSELF IN THE MOONLIGHT
AD— 12.27

Frank Alciere Puts Somerville Over

BOOSTING ALWAYS

FRANK ALCIERE

Mr. Alciere, faculty director of athletics at Somerville high, has taken the athletic treasury out of the red and has aroused intense interest in the high school team. It takes a good man to do this in school athletics.

Much Interest at B.C. in East-West War

By JOHN B. GILLOOLY

Boston College's main sport attention this week is centered on the East-West football game at the Kezar Stadium in San Francisco, Saturday afternoon, in which fray Al Weston will participate.

Students, alumni and friends of the Heights athlete are waiting anxiously to see what Big Al will do on the coast. And practically all New England is showing interest in the contest for Weston is the only choice on the Eastern team from this section of the country.

Weston is going to start on the Gerber-Hanley first team in a half back position. This is Al's natural berth. He has more of a chance to display his running ability and lessens the burden of directing a machine.

Weston quarterbacked B. C. into the Eastern title and also ran marvelously. But he's playing against his best on the Western stars and will need more leeway on Saturday.

L KEPT IN SHAPE

Al left Boston on Dec. 11 in the pink of condition. For two weeks after the Holy Cross game he kept up while the rest of the Eagles took training, and he was almost physically perfect when he boarded the train rather to join the Eastern players and coaches in Chicago.

Weston's name has been prominent in all the press notices from California where the Eastern aggregation is working out. His passing and kicking have been noticed a lot.

Al's journey means a great deal to Boston College and to himself. He's bringing a world of publicity to B. C., and making the Eagle name prominent where it is little known.

McKENNEY IN SOUTH

Coach Joe McKenney is representing Boston College in the southland at the coaches and graduate managers meeting in New Orleans. Joe is a mighty popular young man and he'll have many new acquaintances when the sessions are called to a close.

Weston and McKenney will both be back for the big banquet at the Elks' Hotel on January 2. The Boston College team will be feted on January 11 by the Allston Council, K. of C.

Eagles Want Action

The Eagle A. C. of Stoneham desires hockey games with any 16 or 17-year-old teams in the State. Uniformed teams preferred. Will play either at home or away from home. Teams desiring games please write to Raymond Roberts, Fuller st., Stoneham, Mass.

BATTLE OF THE SEXES ON LINKS

Long Beach, Cal., Dec. 27—Feminine stars stepped into the limelight today in an amateur-pro tournament as a preliminary to the opening of the Long Beach $5000 open.

Qualifying play in open will begin tomorrow over the Long Beach municipal course, and continue over Saturday.

On Sunday the pitch 64 will shift to the links of the Virginia Country Club for the 36 final holes.

Many of the country's leading golfers are entered.

Today's amateur-pro event, carrying a purse of $400 for the professionals and a trophy for the amateurs, had four of the country's outstanding feminine stars paired with the leading lights of the masculine entry list.

Miss Virginia Van Wie of Chicago, runnerup in the women's national championship, was teamed with Walter Hagen. Hagen is open champion. Mrs. Harry Prosser, 1927 women's champion, with Leo Diegel; Miss Kathleen Wright, with Bob MacDonald, Chicago stylist, and Mrs. Gregg Lidur of Los Angeles with Tommy Armour, former national open champion.

The 72-hole drive over two courses here during four days of play will pave the way for the $10 000 Los Angeles open, January 9 to 13.

Everett Six After Games

Everett City Hockey team is looking for games away from home, nights and week-ends. Local or outside clubs please call Everett 0978-W, between 6 and 7, or write George Herald, 34 Clarence st., Everett, Mass.

GOLF UNIQUE SPORT MINUS COMBAT

By FRANK G. MENKE.

Have you ever noticed that golf is the only major sport in the world which really comes into contest that the man or woman plays not against the other, matching agility, speed and endurance, but rather tries to show his greatest skill and forth his weaknesses?

After all, golf is but a glorified game of croquet for, save in that sense, men do not engage in combat with each other as they try to outplay the other in golf.

They just play to do their best against their own weakness, hoping that their best exceeds the best effort of the other.

OTHER SPORTS DIFFER

In violent sports like football, pugilism and wrestling there is ever the element of combat; ever the test of the power of man or a group of men opposed to the other; the test of speed, of skill, of strategy, resourcefulness, iron hearted courage and the ability to take punishment and still carry on.

In baseball, tennis, hockey polo, swimming, boxing, rowing, football—even in pedestrianism—there is always combat a man or a team of men try to outspeed and outgeneral, and outwit and outgame the other.

Victory goes to those who and most skill in who have the superior speed the greater strength and win the better schooled in strategy and have the finer fiber of physical courage.

But so much is not true in golf.

NO ACTUAL COMBAT

As far as actual combat is concerned, a man is in no less a fight playing alone and trying to make a good score, than he is when playing the course in company of a rival.

The golfer, whether going it alone, in duo, or in a foursome is ever playing against himself—with his own weaknesses.

He is no more in combative contest with his rival than is a crooked player, for there never is passed down, never a call for speed, good nor necessity for speed and never the need for cunning that will lure foeman into some trap which puts him at your mercy.

GAME HAS GROWN

And yet this game, ridiculed and jeered at years ago and placed in the same category as croquet within a few generations has come from the lowest to a place where it numbers more actual players than any other known sport in America—or in the world.

All of which perhaps proves what one of its chief attributes said:

"Golf requires that a man control his muscles and his nerves and his temper, it necessitates schooling and limitation of ego, mind and instinct.

"And, because it forces a man to play against his own weakness to improve himself, it ever goads him on to play—and play—so that he can prove to himself that he is as good as he thinks he is.

"And because man—and woman—like nothing better than to demonstrate improvement first to themselves and then to others, golf begins to teem, and when they follow and embrace it, golf clasps such men and such women in such a way that death alone can shatter the union."

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Stagg Resigns Track Berth at Chicago U.

Chicago, Dec. 27 (AP)—The "Grand Old Man of Big Ten Athletics," Amos Alonzo Stagg of the University of Chicago, has retired as track coach.

Finding his duties as athletic director and football coach requiring all his time, Stagg has turned the track coaching task over to his protege, Ned Merriam, one of the Maroons greatest runners.

The change is effective immediately.

Stagg coached his first Chicago track team in 1896 and in point of service is the oldest active college track coach in America.

Magna Ready for All Foes

Tony Magna, 145-pound West End boxer, is ready to meet any welterweight in New England. Magna, who recently fought under the direction of Dan Carroll, has joined the stable of Joe Aleid. He has won his last four battles in the ring.

Mays Tells McGraw His Arm Is in Shape

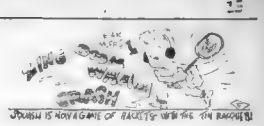
New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Carl Mays, submarine pitcher of the New York Giants, writes to officials of the club that his right arm has regained its former cunning and that he expects to stand National League batters on their heads next season.

The erstwhile blond terror of American League batsmen is wintering at Miami Beach, Fla., and hopes to restore the effectiveness of his sidearm whip by baking it in the sun.

Mays formerly starred with the Red Sox, the Yankees and Cincinnati, but has done little or no pitching for the Giants.

Mister Bible, Southern Coach, Should Know His Book Quite Well

EVENING AMERICAN SPORTS



Tigers Stronger With Mackey and Field Back

STARS EXPECTED TO PUT TEAM BACK ON TOP

Manager Eddie Powers of the Boston Tigers believes that the scoring punch of his team will be 25 per cent stronger against Philadelphia Saturday night because of the return to the lineup of Reg Mackey and Whitey Field.

BURR AT WING

TIGERS CAN CLIMB

Pool Is Favorite Indoor Sport in New York

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Pool is New York's most popular indoor sport, according to the annual report of Commissioner of Licenses William F. Quigley for 1927.

A total of 10,196 permits to pool rooms was issued during the year. Next in order come public motor vehicles, public dances and balls, and street stands.

Judge Landis Will . . Address Legion

GEORGIA TECH STAR ILL

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 27 (AP)—A

KEEPS INJUNS UP

DICK ROGERS, DARTMOUTH

Dick is the right wing on the fast Green hockey team. He scored two goals for his team to help defeat the McGill sextet. Rogers is one of the best hockey players now battling with a college team. He is an ice veteran

—Boston Evening American Staff Photo

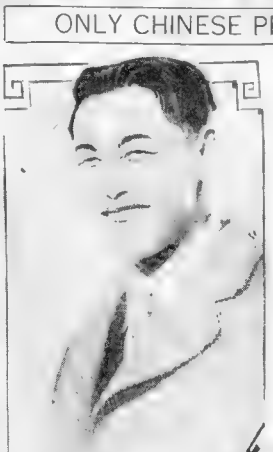
STAGG OPPOSED TO WARNER'S PLAN

New Orleans, La., Dec. [illegible] (AP)

YALE TO PLAY IN CHICAGO

New Haven, Dec. 27 (AP)—Ya

ONLY CHINESE PRO



Charley Chung, only Chinese golf pro in the United States, arrived in Los Angeles recently. He will play in the big money tournaments in this country. Charley is an ex-Hawaiian Island amateur title holder. He shoots a great game of golf.

TEX ANNOUNCES MIAMI FRAY TOMORROW

New York, Dec. 27—Tex Rickard will announce from Miami tomorrow

way of Chicago, with the possibility of a stopover here.

MANCHESTER TEAM ON TRIP

B. A. A. Back on Ice at Arena Tomorrow

The first indication of B. A. A.'s hockey strength will be obtainable at the Arena tomorrow night when the Unicorn plays the Pleon Yacht Club.

HELPS AMATEUR GAME

FORD BEST N. L. SHORTSTOP

The official fielding records of th

VAUGHAN AT CENTER

DUGAN MAY LEAD THE BRAVES

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—If Joe Dugan, who [illegible]

With the PONIES

New Orleans Entries

FRIDAY DEC. 28

Havana Entries

FOR FRIDAY DEC. 28

WASHINGTON FACES ILLINOIS

Routis Signs For Two Big Bouts

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—Andre Routis of France has been signed to defend his welter weight championship against Kid Chocolate, Cuban sensation, and Al Singer of New York late in the winter according to Madison Square Garden officials.

Arrangements have been completed for a 10-round battle at the Garden on January 4 between Johnny Dundee, former featherweight champion, and Charley Phil Rosenberg ex-king of the bantams.

Fitchburg Council Has Real Sports

Fitchburg, Dec. 27—Two Fitchburg city councilors selected the sun over Sports Hall as the spot for the final meeting of the year.

Councilor Paul A. P. Sisto, who becomes out of office with the new year, introduced the measure as his last official act.

Larrivee Memorial Cup for Casey Games

Leo Larrivee, wonderful Holy Cross runner [illegible]

Leading Amateurs in St. Joe's Tourney

With many of the leading amateurs in New England entered, the St. Joseph T. A. S. will hold another in its series of amateur tourneys in Cadillac Hall, Bowdoin sq., on Saturday night.

The weekly shows of the West End organization are proving to be [illegible]

Yanks Sending Reese Back to Oakland Club

New York, Dec. 27 (INS)—The [illegible]

Malden Wins

SANDY BURR HAS TO REORGANIZE

Lloyd Klein Sent to Providence Six

Klein, who [illegible]

Arrows Reach Top in Can.-Am. Ice Race

Philadelphia, Dec. 27—A trio of [illegible]

Flu Bans Syracuse; Penn to Play Rutgers

C. C. N. Y. Battles Bucknell on Jan. 5

Service Co. O. K.

[illegible] Dec. 27—In two [illegible] service [illegible] Gym [illegible] crowd of [illegible] watched the battles.

Hockey Tonight at 8:30
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Magazine Page

Dr. Bisch's Daily Health Hint

A TEASPOONFUL of common table salt in a pint of lukewarm water makes an excellent cleansing and mildly stimulating douche for all purposes. If salt water is snuffed up care must be taken not to force mucous secretions too high up.

Martha Lee Tells of Some Rich Soups

Martha Lee

IN the summer, hot or cool, and [illegible] are about us, we can [illegible] soup line. But when winter comes [illegible] ter soups, which include meat or cream. Lots of meat or fish and vegetable and cereal enter into [illegible] These soups [illegible] and [illegible] nary [illegible] a meatless meal—perhaps a cream lunch. Every [illegible] to fill out an economical dinner. And some of [illegible] claim chowder, and [illegible] themselves.

Of course [illegible] such as can [illegible] der is just as good [illegible] make.

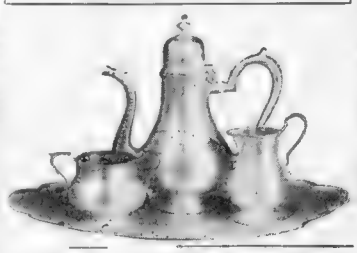
Now I [illegible] This [illegible] saucepan [illegible] ribbon. Add [illegible] more [illegible] tap and [illegible] tomato, [illegible] water [illegible] most told.

Add [illegible] to the [illegible] thes [illegible]

[illegible] slightly browned. Add 2 c. of canned [illegible] milk, 2½ tsp. salt and ¼ tsp. pepper and bring to [illegible]

If you have a yen for stripes and plaids, [illegible]

Choosing Silver



SILVER patterns are more enticing than ever in relatively modern designs for coffee and tea services, but [illegible] It may be that you will [illegible] a definite [illegible] [illegible] pieces of [illegible] are to be [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

NO woman can afford to miss these magazine pages. Here you will find household information of great value, a wonderful article by an eminent physician, important advice on matters of etiquette by a woman who knows and fashion hints fresh from Paris.

Fiction Page

This Day in Our History

CHARLES LAMB, famous English essayist and critic, died on December 27, 1834, at Edmonton, England. He was fifty-nine years old. Lamb and his sister Mary wrote "Tales from Shakespeare." His most famous essays are "Essays of Elia."

The RISE OF LOTTA CRABTREE

Remarkable Story of Actress Boston Knew Well

By CONSTANCE ROURKE

CHAPTER 21.

MRS. CRABTREE'S skill was taxed to the utmost, as she recalled costumes, prayed with Lotta at night, made up Lotta in backfalls with a quick change, and maintained that invisible barrier which was part of her assurance that her choice for the child had been a right one.

Severe and upright, still a handsome woman with her high color and eyes, Mrs. Crabtree also appeared on the stage occasionally, and as Miss Arabella won hearty applause and singing of old airs.

At a rising of an evening's entertainment was over, the whole troupe would gather within the wan out of the reach of the audience to wait, for horses and transport, and be off along a dirt road. Lotta, dressed in boy's clothes, slept at night on horseback between her father and mother, a hand on the latter holding a bridle rein.

Both at performances and from across the fields, where I lay on the grass, nursing operations. They stopped at first. At five times in every daylight, as she afterwards remembered, Lotta saw a lone rider far ahead slip and plunge down a gully, to rise into a new jump. They would make a brief rest, with Lotta lying on the dusty ground, and then ride on.

Lotta's performance was a very simple one. She was a child, and she danced. Years later to Mrs. Crabtree with pleasure to the experience, and the Crabtrees were to keep it. They used about it.

They traveled far up into the high Sierras through the summer and autumn, along little-known trails, until snow fell in a solid deep carpet, then they dipped again, resting in coaches through rainy weather in the lower towns. The season had been prosperous. Comfortable with success, the Crabtrees returned to San Francisco in the early winter, with every prospect of a new season.

Lotta was now favorably known all through the mountains to the north and down the Pacific coast. She had a genuine fellowship with the miners, and very rarely during the years to come was she really to outgrow the gentle, kind of audience of that moment.

It Was Reported That Maguire Was Not Interested in Lotta's Work

Perhaps Lotta's turns were what they were later claimed to be, a genuine novelty in minstrelsy. Maguire, bent upon acquiring control of the better known burlesque players, was not interested in Lotta. It was rumored at the time he spoke slightingly of her talents.

At this moment Crabtree stepped forward, possibly with a premonition of the valiant father of the Baltimore children who had died at sea. With a small profit over the year invested Maguire in an opera. The outcome was a production of a play by Maguire, with the understanding that whether he stayed in the firm or not Crabtree was to keep the property. Maguire was furious at San Francisco theatrical gossip, and he was Maguire. Four months later they made an alliance, though this was more firm.

At least Crabtree won a new prestige, and finally, out of the muck of phoenix possibilities, Lotta was given an engagement at a small theater called the Gaieties, a "hit" theater, a shabby place on the waterfront section led by a standing ground, junk shops, cheap clothing houses, low groggeries.

This gave Lotta, with an entrance through a narrow alley and a back door opening around three sides of which ran an overhanging gallery. In front of the little stage, lit by a row of tallow dips, were a few groups of tables around which the actors "spieled" sat awaiting their turn. Behind were rows of chairs for the common run of visitors, and these were filled two nights, discounting.

The manager of the Gaieties was Robert Butler, the jovial proprietor of the Jolly Corner. He was a fat, fawning man, a favorite among the actors. The theater was patronized mainly by sailors down from the mountains.

The star of the evening was "Pigeon Toes," which name was taken by an acrobat. His "solitaire" was the tripe-eyed Miss Hyena. Three juveniles played the other wives.

The audience was in a wild mood on this occasion, and offered a quick staccato of advice and rowdy remarks throughout the play.

After the Play Lotta Came on With "Shells of the Ocean"

After the play Lotta came on with "Shells of the Ocean." But she was hurried and badly done. She performed it in a daze. Then the miners, many of whom she had known her in the mountains, came to her in an uproar. Lotta, with her warm temper, began to fight, and failed, and at the same time a heavy pot hook came sailing. She would never have been on the stage. The curtain went down, hiding her through the smoke. The drinking throng was shouting for encore. A fight was on the way. Mrs. Crabtree smelled it. Lotta made her way out through the other exits.

The men have never forgotten. Even exits, watched many such performances as they trembled before the fury.

Calculating as she might, Mrs. Crabtree could hardly advise Lotta into her position by any conscious effort. But the engagement at the Gaieties was brief.

Lotta obtained an engagement at the Forrest Theater in Sacramento. She came out in a burlesque, and had a brief moment as a rising small star.

As summer came on rotting was offered Lotta engagements in towns up and down the mines, this time southward.

From Stockton over the wide San Joaquin valley the Crabtrees set out again by coach late in 1858. Again

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To Be Continued

Genevieve Tries to Stop Trembling

But it was too late now. She could only hope that he would not notice them—who ever he was. The knob was turning, the door was opening. Her mouth went dry. She tried to still the shaking which made it hard not to drop the glass dagger. She must remember that she might have to kill somebody.

'Blue Blood and Red'; Story Nears Crisis

By ROBERT TERRY SHANNON

matter—what can it matter?"

CHAPTER 20

Eddie left now slowly the return

"Do You Remember When You Found That I Lacked Ambition?"

She Looked at Him With the Light of Emotion in Her Eyes

She looked at him and there was a red him

(Continued Tomorrow.)

'The Runaway'; Fine Six-Day Novel

Continued from Page 11.

Who is the Man with Grey Eyes? Read "Runaway" in this newspaper tomorrow.

Correct Manners

By MRS CORNELIUS BEECKMAN

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN:

What is a proper gift to give a girl who is our friend and who is engaged to our nephew? M. T.

WOULD you like to give her a handsome Florentine bowl or something for her desk? A beautiful cameo brooch? Something like that?

Now that is not in the shops, and there are two or three shops in which you could get a leather bottle. Or will a traveling case give her pleasure? Or a silver or gold certain person?

A bowl or something like that is not a gift for a girl you do not know well. Or a book? Or a picture? Or a piece of jewelry? Or a piece of silver? Or a piece of china? Or a piece of glass? Or a piece of wood? Or a piece of stone? Or a piece of metal? Or a piece of paper? Or a piece of cloth? Or a piece of leather? Or a piece of rubber? Or a piece of plastic? Or a piece of glass? Or a piece of china? Or a piece of wood? Or a piece of stone? Or a piece of metal? Or a piece of paper? Or a piece of cloth? Or a piece of leather? Or a piece of rubber? Or a piece of plastic?

DEAR MRS. BEECKMAN.

When I am called to the telephone and am not at home, I feel certain that the person who answers the telephone says, "Mrs. Smith is not at home." Should she say, "Mrs. Smith is not at home, may I take your message?" Or should she say, "Mrs. Smith is not at home, may I tell her later?" I would always like to know who calls, if it is not in order to talk.

IT is proper to ask who is making the telephone call. The person answering may say, "Mrs. Smith is not at home. May I take your message?" Or "Miss Lodge is not at home. Will you please say your name, please?" Or "Miss Lodge is not at home. May I have your message?" Or "Miss Lodge is not at home. May I have your name, please?" Or "Miss Lodge is not at home. May I have your message, please

AUCTION BRIDGE

by WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

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Daily Cross Word Puzzle

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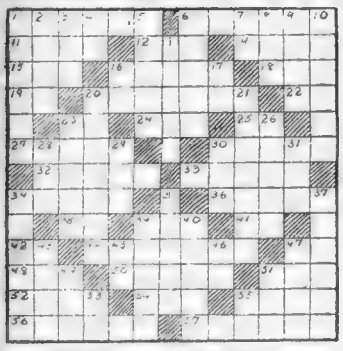

HORIZONTAL

1—What is the capital of the Czecho-Slovak Republic?
6—What U. S. general assisted in the Black Hawk and Mexican wars, and died during the Civil War?
11—Who was the pernicious friend of Othello?
12—[illegible]
14—[illegible]
15—[illegible]
16—What is the missing word from this title of a Shakespearian play: The Taming of the [illegible]?
18—[illegible]
19—[illegible]
20—[illegible]
22—What is regarded as "worn by a birthplace"?
[illegible]
26—[illegible]
27—What Apache warrior assisted the Empress Eugenie to escape from Paris in 1870?
30—What French Revolutionary leader was stabbed in his bathtub?
[illegible]
37—With what country is Shetland now [illegible] identified?
[illegible]
23—[illegible]
24—[illegible]
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35—[illegible]
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41—[illegible]
42—[illegible]
44—[illegible]
47—What is the nickname of the Detroit baseball player, Tyrus Cobb?
48—[illegible]
50—[illegible]
51—[illegible]
52—What mountain range divides Russia and Siberia?
54—[illegible]
55—Restore to a sound condition?
59—What Biblical prophet escaped from the lions' den?
57—[illegible]

VERTICAL

1—What Roman official was procurator of Judea in 26 A. D.?
2—In what play did Jeanne Eagels create the role of Sadie Thompson?
3—[illegible]
4—Proceed.
5—What is the first name of the man who led "The Green Mountain Boys" during the Revolution?
7—Melt or fuse, as a metal?
8—Myself.
9—Who sold his birthright to his brother Jacob?
[illegible]
[illegible]
17—[illegible]
20—[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
28—Who wrote "The Green Hat" and "Mrs. Fair"?
[illegible]
31—In English folklore, who was queen of the fairies?
[illegible]
34—What name is applied to the body of Jewish civil and canonical law not in the Pentateuch?
[illegible]
40—What Jewish general was slain by Joab?
43—Who is the heroine of Ibsen's "A Doll's House"?
[illegible]
[illegible]
47—What was the name of the palace of the kings of ancient Ireland?
[illegible]
[illegible]
53—What State (abbr.) derives its name from "Quonecticut," the Indian word meaning Long River of Pines?

Tomorrow is the result to see [illegible]

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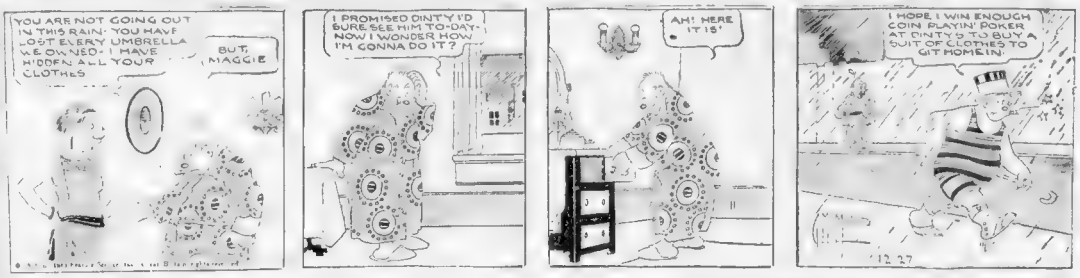
BRINGING UP FATHER

Jiggs Must Win

By George McManus


YOU ARE NOT GOING OUT IN THIS RAIN! YOU HAVE LOST EVERY UMBRELLA WE OWNED! I HAVE HIDDEN ALL YOUR CLOTHES
BUT, MAGGIE
I PROMISED DINTY I'D SURE SEE HIM TO-DAY! NOW I WONDER HOW I'M GONNA DO IT?
AH! HERE IT IS!
I HOPE I WIN ENOUGH COIN PLAYIN' POKER AT DINTY'S TO BUY A SUIT OF CLOTHES TO GIT HOME IN
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GOOD TIME GUY

The Trouble Maker

By Frank Smiley

SO GUY HAS CHECKED OUT AND IS STARTING HOME TO CORNWAY! I CAN'T LET HIM GET AWAY FROM ME THAT EASY!
I'M NOT GOING TO BE OUT SMARTED BY A VILLAGE CHIT! SHE CAN HAVE HIM WHEN MYSELF AND THE BANKRUPTCY COURT GET THROUGH WITH HIM!
I HAVE AN IDEA! GUY ONCE LOST HIS HEAD OVER ME, AND I'LL MAKE SURE HE DOESN'T FIND IT ON MARY LAFFER'S SHOULDERS
FRANK SMILEY
TELEGRAPH OFFICE! TAKE THIS MESSAGE TO MRS. CAROLINE COOKEY: MEET ME AT THE DEPOT IN CORNWAY STOP MARRY MEANS NOTHING TO ME STOP YOU ARE EVERYTHING STOP LOVE. SIGNED, GUY GREEN!
NOW WHAT DIRTY TRICK IS CAROLINE GOING TO TRY?
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POLLY AND HER PALS

A "Butt" Coming From That Goat

By Cliff Sterrett

YEAR AFTER YEAR I'VE GIVEN ME A BOX OF PILLS AN' YEAR AFTER YEAR, I HASTA CHUCK 'EM IN THE LAKE!
DON'T BE A CHUMP LINK. WHY DON'TCHA GIVE 'EM TO THE JANITOR!
FOR ME?
YEP. THEY'RE ALL YOURS CHARLIE. AN WELCOME!
CLIFF STERRETT 12-27

GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS

You Can't Get Away From It

By Rube Goldberg

WELL, I'VE GET A CLEAR CONSCIENCE. I'VE TREATED MY EMPLOYEES RIGHT. I'VE PAID THEM WELL. GIVEN THEM EASY HOURS AND TRIED TO BE DEMOCRATIC - I WON'T HAVE A LOT OF DISGRUNTLED EMPLOYEES HANGING AROUND ASKING FOR A RAISE LIKE THEY DO IN OTHER OFFICES
I'LL TAKE A STROLL THROUGH THE SHIPPING DEPARTMENT AND GREET THE BOYS. WE'RE JUST ONE GREAT, BIG, HAPPY FAMILY
I WONDER IF THE OLD TIGHTWAD IS GONNA COME THROUGH THIS YEAR
I'M SICK OF COMPLIMENTS - I WANT DOUGH!
LET'S ALL GET TOGETHER AND DEMAND OUR RIGHTS
HE JUST BOUGHT ANOTHER CAR ON MY BRAIN-WORK
MISS McGRATH, IF ANYBODY ASKS FOR ME TELL 'EM I'VE GONE TO JOIN COMMANDER BYRD ON HIS POLAR EXPEDITION
TELEPHONES
YES MY CHILD IS VERY CAREFUL WITH HIS TOYS

SKIPPY

Repartee

By Percy Crosby

Mr. KNICKNACK

Beats Throwing Away Whole Tub

By Don Herold

ADAM, I THINK YOUR TUB-SIZE TUB BRUSH SPOILS THE LOOKS OF OUR BATHROOM
THERE MIGHT BE A SIMPLER WAY TO CLEAN THE BATH TUB. WILL YOU JOIN ME IN A CHOCOLATE SODA?
I'LL TAKE A CHOCOLATE SODA, AND PLEASE SERVE IT IN ONE OF THOSE INDIVIDUAL PAPER CUPS
AN INDIVIDUAL PAPER LINING FOR THE BATH TUB FOR EACH BATH
don herold
12-27

VANILLA and the VILLAINS

A New Crisis

By Darrell McClure

I CERTAINLY MUST WRITE TO THE PEOPLE'S FORUM IN THE GAZETTE ABOUT THIS WONDERFUL ASIATIC TORTURE. WALKING THROUGH THOSE SHARP BLADES BAREFOOT!
THE MORE YOU LOOK THE LESS YOU'LL SEE AS HERMAN THE GREAT USED TO SAY AHAAAA
MUST AH WATCH, STONEWALL, DEAH? MUCH AS AH DESPISE THAT DESERVING FIEND
HE CANNOT ESCAPE THIS WAY, SO HE IS DOOMED - NO MATTER WHAT HE TRIES
HE HUMAN VOICE SNEVEN LOST IN THE DARK NO EASY THAT AH CAN'T YOU STONEWALL
THE MANY BANQUETS I ATTENDED BEFORE LEAVING AMERICA WILL SAVE ME NOW, AHA.
SOON I WILL SNEAK BACK TO THE SHIP AND TEACH VANILLA A LESSON - AND HERE'S HOPING SHE'S DUMB, OH, BOY
OH, TO BE CRUSHED AGAINST THE ROCKS LIKE THIS - THERE CAN BE NO EXCLUSIVE PHOTOS OF THIS
SCREE
12-27

BARNEY GOOGLE

A Sleeping Epidemic

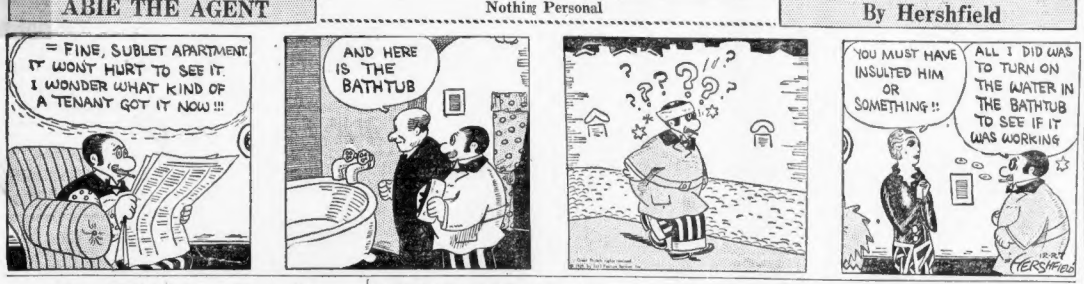
By De Beck

IN THE MIDST OF HIS TRAINING FOR HIS RACE WITH KLOTZ'S PINKY WINKY BABY, THE RACE THAT MEANS MORE TO BARNEY GOOGLE THAN ANY OTHER, SPARK PLUG BECAME AFFLICTED WITH A STRANGE MALADY AND DID WHAT EVERY THING BARNEY OR THE GREAT ZANAHI HAS EVER ABLE TO DO, HE SLEPT ON. ALL UNCONSCIOUS THAT HIS POOR OWNER IS FRANTIC WITH WORRY
SPARK PLUG
OH! I'M THINK THAT SPARK PLUG SHOULD FALL DOWN ON DE TRIG WAY - IF THAT CAT-SNIFFER OR KLOTZ'S WING THE RACE A DAY AFTER TOMORROW. I'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO SHOW MY FACE AT DE TRACK AGAIN - WHAT ARE YOU DOING THERE, PROFESSOR?
SAY! I'M GIVING KLOTZ'S HORSE ARSENIC TREATMENT - HE IS VERY DELICATE AND I DON'T WISH HE DISTURBED
AWOOK !! AWOOK !!
WHAT ?!!
YO HOSS AM SOUND ASLEEP OR SUMPN. MISTAH KLOTZ - AH CAN'T WAKE HIM UP NOHOW -
Pleasant Memory Babby
DEBECK
12-27

ABIE THE AGENT

Nothing Personal

By Hershfield


= FINE, SUBLET APARTMENT. IT WON'T HURT TO SEE IT. I WONDER WHAT KIND OF A TENANT GOT IT NOW !!!
AND HERE IS THE BATHTUB
YOU MUST HAVE INSULTED HIM OR SOMETHING !!
ALL I DID WAS TO TURN ON THE WATER IN THE BATHTUB TO SEE IF IT WAS WORKING
HERSHFIELD
12-27

TO THINK ABOUT

By BRUNO LESSING

"DO you believe," asks a correspondent, "that there can be such a thing as a perfectly happy married life extending over twenty years?"

No, madam, there can be no such thing. Why did you drag in the word 'perfect'?" If you had left that word out the answer would have been "yes." Many married couples have been happy for more than twice twenty years. In spite of all divorce statistics and the incessant gallivanting of husbands and wives—either openly or secretly—this writer is firmly convinced that the majority of married people are happy.

But there are varying degrees in happiness, just as there are in most other things, from thermometers to stock quotations. In perfection, however, there are no degrees.

It would be difficult to point out what condition in life is capable of being developed to perfection. Life itself is imperfect. It is slave to time and tempest. Perfect health, perfect independence and perfect happiness are merely phrases. The very fact that some day the Reaper separates husband from wife must always be a slight blur to mar the perfection of their married life.

But why bother about perfection? Why not be content with the gifts of the gods as they come along? Above all, the gift of love. If husband and wife love each other steadily for twenty years—and it often happens—they can afford to ignore perfection.

Mussolini says the Italian press is free. The freest in the world, in fact. (Although, when you stop to think about it, there can be no comparative degrees of freedom. Free or not free, is all there is to it.)

He is willing that newspapers should say he is a poor violinist.

He is willing that newspapers should express their opinions upon any subject in the world. He draws the line only at Fascism. Newspapers must not say anything against Fascism.

Which is rather humorous.

The most important phase in life in Italy, today, is Fascism. Personally, this writer believes in it because it is a beneficent form of force. And while the exercise of force is far from an ideal, there are times when it is desirable in order to maintain public tranquility.

But if a newspaper cannot criticise Fascism, that newspaper is not free.

In the United States you cannot lawfully brew beer. Thereby your freedom is curtailed. You are not entirely free. To say that this curtailment came about through a proper process of legal procedure or that the majority of the states approved of it, does not affect the fact that you are not free to brew beer.

You may have freedom to do other things that are not permitted in other countries. But that is poor consolation to the man who wants a glass of beer. And the Italian editor who would like to give Fascism a slam is not boasting of his freedom, these days.

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THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Best Joke," Boston Evening American.

"Why do the men out West die with their boots on?"

"So they won't stub their toes when they kick the bucket."

W. P. KELLEY,
31 Neptune rd., East Boston.

BAER FACTS

by Arthur "Bugs" Baer

THE boys dashed into the beauty parlors and came out with whiskers tangled in good cheer and happiness.

Every old man played Santa. Even if his face was not the type.

In our last two attempts to look like Kris Kringle we have merely succeeded in looking like a lean and eager wolf.

We have never yet made the grade. There should be a collegiate course of instruction enabling young papas to learn how to paste on eyebrows and whiskers.

By the time we have glued on the mustache, the chinstraps and the dewlaps we resemble the ignoble and blasted tyrant Bel-Gumso squinting through the Gardens of Babyloria.

It's all a flop. In spite of the fact that the nose is perfect, it is an 18th century beezer on a lawabiding face.

We have tried all kinds of whiskers. The full balloon type with 36 pounds of pressure all around. But they flatten out coming down the chimney.

The Santa Claus herbage clipped on the last style of the boyish bob is not quite the thing.

The youngsters demand plenty of alfalfa with their Kris Kringles. Some papas affect the Van Dyke system, with Lord Dundreary topped by immovable eyebrows.

This is not very good. You ain't Santa. You ain't Mutt. And you ain't Jeff.

We should advise careful selection in the paste used to cultivate the whiskers to your epidermis.

Last year we used Major's cement with a little miscadamized filling. When you try to pull them off again you discover the fixtures go along with the good-will. Save the surface and you save all.

Don't use adhesive tape or tar-paper. Remember that he who is king for a day is liable to be a bum for the next couple of weeks.

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SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston Evening American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston Evening American.

Mother—You had better not have another piece of chicken. You must leave room for the cake.

Nancy—Oh, the chicken can move over a little.

L. FALLON,
138 Dakota st., Dorchester.

MEDBURY SAYS—

By JOHN P. MEDBURY

SEVERAL biscuit companies are now putting for on their animal crackers to make them more realistic.

Social Accomplishments

Being so wealthy that you can have two tuxedos. One for yourself and one for the moths.

Efficiency Experts

The deaf and dumb fellow who talks in shorthand.

Auto-Suggestion

Fifty per cent of all motor accidents happen in parked cars.

Momentous Moments

When a couple of tough eggs go out looking for a love nest.

Excuse It Please

If there are any Scotch bad men, the chances are they'll die with somebody else's boots on.

A Maiden's Prayer

Ah, men.

Among the Illiterati

The fellow who wouldn't stop eating alphabetical soup until he came to a period.

The Good Old Daze

There were no back seat drivers in the covered wagon.

Our Own Vaudeville

Teacher—What did Eve say when she saw the first man?

Johnnie—Up and Adam.

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DO YOU KNOW THAT—

Learning the Bible by heart is the self-imposed task of the 40,000 members of the Bureau Bard of Bible Learners. The movement originated in 1905, in Acton, London.

Taxicabs are now about 20 years old.

A Berlin husband advertises his matrimonial troubles in a local paper: "My pious, faithful wife has departed from me. Will the honorable finder please keep her!"

The principal manufacturers of Needles in England make about 600 million needles a year. Sixteen different operations are required to make an ordinary sewing needle. The smallest needles are made from wire 0.0085-inch in diameter, and 1000 of them weigh less than a quarter of an ounce.

Probably the most accurate clocks in the world are two at Greenwich Observatory. Each is checked every 3 seconds by a pendulum made of an alloy of steel and nickel, called invar, swinging in a vacuum. A change of temperature of one degree Fahrenheit causes these pendulums to vary, but not more than a three-thousandth of a second in 24 hours.

COOK-COOS

by Ted Cook

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MYSTERY STORY

Faced by Facts, Inspector Acts Like Wounded Bird.

It should be kept clearly in mind that the major import of this investigation is to determine who poisoned Bottisford Beale, for if he was not poisoned, who was?

Had he not been found curled up on a rug in his club? And did he not kick jerkily when anyone attempted to question him?

Had not Lady Bottisford Beale found a rusty bolt in her tea? And a strange green powder on her celery?

And who was the turbaned stranger who rang her doorbell and then ran hastily into the garden, stopping only long enough to dig up some bulbs and spade around? Around what?

Inspector Ogle of Scotland Yard asked her these questions again and again, but what bothered him most was who left the cigar stub on the window sill? "Tell me that," he said to himself, "and I will tell you something that will be to your advantage." Just then there was a brief pause for station announcements.

(Continued Tomorrow)

Bryan (Abe) Foy insists on telling about the Scotchman who was born in this country to save transportation.

LESSON SIX

Today's lesson on "How to Defend Yourself with a Bicycle" is simply this: Step suddenly and dismount over rear wheels, at same time pulling on handlebars. Then merely parry your assailant's blows as in fencing or boxing. At the same time appear unconcerned, and whistle as though nothing had happened.

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Adam Scoffaw's Journal

Up betimes and this make the ninth drye I have gone without socks in my greate scientifick experiment to prove that the male of the species is as hardy as the female—and more economical.

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MEN OF THE HOUR

This is Caesarn Doakes, who has a plan for permanent prosperity. He proposes that unemployment be averted by increasing the number of bank vice-presidents.

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With malicious intent
I'll disfigure the feller
Who flirts with my blimp
While I'm down in the cellar.
—Willie Mahoney,
• • •

A fiend incarnate has been discovered in Milwaukee. He teaches little children to play the cornet for 10 cents a lesson.

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BULL-ETIN

Men's Wear Magazine

"In no period of American history has the young college man been accorded so exhalted a position in the cultural and social life of the nation as he is today."

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Congressman Fenn Pratby is working on a bill to provide pensions for veterans of Chicago gang wars.

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Radio authorities have ruled that stations can no longer broadcast "Sonny Boy" without permission of the song publishers.

Next thing is to stop "Sonny Boy" on phonographs without permission of neighbors.

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As Hatch Graham says, "People DO mind the gray skies."

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BUT DON'T STEP ON SOMEONE'S FINGERS

Glenett, Mo., Times:

A society of women in Kansas have signed a pledge to grind cigarette stubs seen on the sidewalks with their heels.

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FAMOUS LAST WORDS

Let me give you a tip on the market, Mr. Durant . . .

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QUESTIONING CHILD

By CONSTANCE CAMERON

A VERY intelligent mother remarked a few days ago that it hurt her pride exceedingly to be obliged to admit to her small boy that she did not know the answer to some of his startling questions. "One can't know everything," she said, "yet it is awful to have to answer so many times, 'I don't know.'"

If one stops with this reply, it surely is discouraging to both parent and child. On the other hand, if the parent uses this reply to encourage a child along the road of adventuring into research, and aids him in learning just where to go for information, it may sometimes be of far greater value to him than a ready answer.

A child's first means of acquiring knowledge is the asking of questions. In fact, much of our information all through life comes from questioning others, and it is important that we go to the proper sources, isn't it?

The old-fashioned method was either to rattle off an answer, the veracity of which was never supposed to be doubted, or, if the adult did not know the answer, to take refuge behind the verbal barricade, "Children should be seen and not heard. Don't be forever asking silly questions."

Now, praise be, parents have to deal with children who know very well that neither mother nor father knows everything, isn't always right, and is willing to admit a mistake when it is made. It is an attitude of friendship instead of forced and often doubtful respect, and through this friendship, through our willingness to say "I don't know" once in a while, we find many more opportunities to help our children. For although we don't know the replies to all their questions, we do know approximately where to go and where to tell them to go to learn the answers, or get the information which they desire.

My mother informs me that I was in my fifth year myself when it came to asking questions in childhood. I wanted to know why everything happened. Mother tried faithfully to keep up with my volley of inquiries, but I remember that whenever she did not quite know the answer she said: "I don't know, but we will go to the library and get a book that will tell us."

Once I inquired if all Indians lived in tents, and mother said she thought they did not. I immediately said: "Let's get a book and find out," but this was vetoed in favor of a visit to an excellent museum where we saw miniature reproductions of the various forms of Indian dwellings. I had added another step to research to my small store. I consulted the museum exhibits frequently after that.

I wanted to know just where my food went after I swallowed it, so we boarded a street car and visited our family physician, who showed me colored plates representing the human body, and who loaned us two large, interesting books to take home.

I was taught that if ever I got lost I was to ask no one the way home except a policeman. My mother never inquired about the coming or going or places of changing cars except of a uniformed station attendant, so I never thought of asking any be-whiskered old gentlemen or kindly appearing ladies about trains.

We all can't know everything, but somewhere there is a person or an organization which can supply us with the knowledge we seek. When you say to your child: "I don't know, but we'll find out," and then b t him see how and where you find out, you are opening many doors to him later, saving him much time and effort, and stimulating the desire to learn. There is no obstacle in the path of finding out anything, if you but know where to look.

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COULD HARDLY GET ANY SLEEP

Pimples Itched and Burned. Cuticura Heals.

"My face and hands were covered with pimples. The pimples itched and burned and caused disfigurement. They itched and burned and when I scratched them they formed scabs. I could not do my work on account of them, and could hardly get any sleep.

"I tried all kinds of remedies but they did me no good. I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. After using it I purchased more, and in about three weeks I was completely healed." (Signed) Harold Cutter, 1 Vaughan Ave., Dorchester, Mass., April 16, 1928.

Use Cuticura to heal skin troubles.

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold everywhere. Sample each free. Address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. M, Malden, Mass. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

EVENING *New York Stocks* AMERICAN *New York Curb* MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Dec. 27 Dec. 26

	High	Low	Close	Close
Abitibi P & P	40¾	40¼	40¼	40½
Abitibi P pf..	84½	84½	84½	84½
Ad Rumely..	34¾	33¾	34¼	34
Ad Rumely pf 55	55	55	55	55
Ahumada Ld..	3⅜	3¼	3⅜	3⅜
Air Reduction	97½	96¾	97¼	97¼
Ajax Rubber..	10¾	9⅞	10	10
Alaska Juneau	7⅞	7¾	7⅞	8⅜
Alb Wrap P..	24⅝	24¼	24½	24½
Allied Chem..	239	235	242½	
Allied Chem pf	122¾	122¼	122¾	
Allis Chalm..	183¾	175¾	183	174¾
Amal Leather..	10¾	10¼	10¾	10¼
Amerada	38⅝	37⅞	37⅞	38⅜
Am Ag Chem..	23	22¾	23	23
Am Ag Ch pf..	71⅝	69½	70¾	70
Am Bk Note..	128	122½	128	124
Am Beech M..	42⅝	42¾	42¾	41
Am Br Shoe..	47	46¾	47	47
Am Brown B..	61	59¾	61	60
Am Can	110	105¾	108¾	106
Am Car & Fy..	94	93	94	94
Am Car&Fy pf..	120	120	120½	
Am Drug Syn	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Am Encaustic	81¾	80¾	81¾	80¾
Am&For Pow..	73¾	72¾	73¾	73
Am&FP pf	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜	106⅜
Am F P 2 pf..	96⅜	96⅜	96¾	96¼
Am H & L pf..	103¾	103¾	103¾	103¾
Am Home Pr..	76⅞	76	76¾	76
Am Ice	41¾	41¼	41¾	41¼
Am Inter	142	147	142½	
Am La France	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜
Am Loco	107¾	107¼	107¾	107¾
Am Mach Fy..	176	176	176	176
Am Metal	61⅞	60	61⅜	59¾
Am Pow & L..	79	78	79	78¾
A P & L pf st	82⅞	82	82¾	82¼
Am P & L pf..	100⅜	100¼	100⅜	100⅞
Am Radiator..	18¾	18¼	18¾	18¼
Am Rwy Exp..	133¾	133	133¾	133
Am Repub ..	62	58½	61½	59
Am Saf Razor	57¾	56¾	57¾	57¾
Am Seating ..	34	34	34	34
Am Ship & C..	3⅝	3⅜	3⅝	3⅜
Am Smelting..	278	273	278	277
Am Smelt n..	92	90	92	138¾
Am Snuff	203	203	203	—
Am Steel F..	64	63½	63½	63½
Am Sugar	83¾	82¾	82¾	83¼
Am Sugar pf..	106	106	106¼	
Am Sumatra..	49	48	48	48
Am T & T....	191¾	190	190¾	191¾
Am Tob B....	175	174	174	176
Am Tob pf....	165¾	165	165	166
Am Woolen ..	27	25⅝	26⅝	26¾
Am Woolen pf..	59½	57¾	59	60¼
Am Writ Pa..	12¾	12¼	12¾	12¾
Am Zinc Ld&S	31¼	30¾	31¼	31¼
Am Zinc pf..	105¼	104½	105¼	105
Anaconda Cp..	112¾	110¾	112¾	109¾
Andes Copper..	49¾	48¾	49¾	49¼
Arch Dan Mid	90¼	90¼	90¼	90¼
Armstr Del pf	90½	90¼	90¼	90¼
Armour Ill A..	15¼	15	15¼	15¼
Armour Ill B..	15¼	14¾	15	15
Arnold Const..	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Asc Dry Gds..	63	62⅜	63	63¾
Atch T & S F..	194	192	193¾	196
Atch T&S F p	104	103¾	103¾	
Atl Cst Line..	166	165¾	166	167½
Atl Refining..	37¾	37¼	37¾	37¾
Atlas Powder..	110¾	105¾	108¾	104½
Atlas Tack	12¾	11¾	12¾	11
Austin Nich..	20¾	20¼	20¾	20¼
Auto Sales pf	39	38½	38½	—
Austin Nich..	6	6	6	—
Avietn of Pa..	13¼	13	13¼	13
Balt & Ohio..	119¾	117¾	119	117¾
Baldwin	245	245	245	—
Barker Bros..	39	39	39	—
Barnsdall A..	41	39¾	41	40⅝
Beacon Oil Co	22	21¾	21¾	21¾
Bendix Aviat..	61	60	61	60
Belding Hem..	12¾	12¼	12¾	12¼
Best Co Inc..	85¾	84	85¾	84
Beth Steel ..	53	51¾	53	53¼
Beth Stl 7 pc	124¾	124¾	124¾	124¾
Bloomingdle..	44	43	44	43
Bon Ami Co A	82	82	82	83
Booth Fish ..	24	24	24	24
Borden Co	172¾	166	171¾	169
Bos & Maine..	31	30¾	31	30¾
Bosch Mag ..	54¾	54¾	54¾	53½
Brit Emp Cit..	20	19¾	20	20
Brit Em 8 2 pf	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼
Brooklyn Man	69¾	68¾	69¾	68¾
Bklyn M T....	72¾	71¼	72	70¾
Bklyn Un G..	159¾	155¾	159	158¾
Burns Bros ..	48¾	47¾	48¾	47¾
Brunswk Ter..	37¾	36	37¾	36
Bucyrus-Erie..	37¾	36¾	37¾	36
Bucyrus-Erie pf	46¾	45¾	46	46
Burr Ad Mch..	235	232	235	229
Bush Term ..	78¾	77¾	78¾	78
Butte Cop & Z..	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	8⅜
Butte & Sup..	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Butterick	43¾	43¼	43¾	43¼
Byers AM	185¾	179¾	185¾	180
By Prod Coke	98	98	98	95
Cal Packs	135	134	135	134
Callahan Zinc..	3¼	3	3¼	3
Cal & Ariz....	119¾	116	119	117¾
Cal & Hecla..	41¾	41¼	41¾	41¼
Can Dry Ging	29¼	29¼	29¼	28¾
Canadian Pac	234½	232	234¾	234
Cann Ofdl	44	43	44	44
Case T M	489	475	489	—
Cent Alloy St	45¾	44	45¾	46
Cent Leather..	19¾	19¼	19¾	19¼
Certain Prod..	29	27½	28¾	27½
Certo Corp....	58	56	58	57
Chandler Clev	10¾	10¼	10¾	10¼
Chand Clev pf	36¾	34¼	36¾	36¾
Ches & Ohio..	205¾	202	205¾	207¾
Chesbrgh Manu	73	72½	73	73
Chi & Alt....	11¾	11¼	11¾	11¾
Chi & Alt pf..	35	35	35	—
Chi & Zast pf	60¾	60½	60¾	—
Chi Gr West..	19¾	18½	19	19
Chi G W pf..	46¾	45¾	46¾	46¾
Chi Mil St P..	33¾	32¾	33¾	32¾
Chi Mil S P pf	55¾	53¾	54¾	54¾
Chi N W	84¾	83¾	84¾	84¾
Chi Pneu Tl..	161¾	160¼	161¾	162
Chi R I & P..	130¾	127¼	129¾	129¾
Chi R I&P pf	104¾	104¼	104¾	—
Chick Cot Oil..	46¼	46¼	46¼	46¼
Childs Co	57¾	56¾	57	57½
Chile Copper..	31¾	31¼	31¾	31¾
Chrysler Corp..	125	121¾	124¾	123¾
City Stores B..	105¾	105	105¾	104
Cla Peabody..	27	26¾	27	27¼
Coca Cola	169¾	169	169	168
Col & Akronm..	43¾	43¼	43¾	43¼
Colorado Fuel..	69¾	68¾	69	69¾
Colum Carb..	120¾	118	120	119¾
Col Gas & E..	118¾	116¾	118¾	118¾
C G & E pf A..	107	107	107	107¼
Col Graph....	74¾	70¾	74½	72¾
Com Cred	57¾	56¾	57¾	57¾
COm Inv Tr..	125¾	124	125¾	124½
Com In T wt..	22	22	22	22
Com Inv Tr pf	106¼	104	106¼	102
Com Sol	223	220¾	222½	222
Congol Ndrm	27¾	25¾	27½	26

UNITED STATES SMELTING REFINING & MINING CO.

The Directors of the United States Smelting Refining & Mining Company have declared a quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent on the Preferred Capital Stock, payable on January 15, 1929, to stockholders of record at the close of business Dec. 31, 1928.

F. W. BATCHELDER, Treasurer.

UNITED STATES SMELTING REFINING & MINING CO.

The Directors of the United States Smelting Refining & Mining Company have declared a dividend of fifty cents (50c) each on the Common Capital Stock, payable on January 15, 1929, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 31, 1928.

F. W. BATCHELDER, Treasurer.

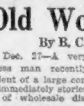
Dec. 27 Dec. 26

	High	Low	Close	Close
Congress Cig	80	80	80	—
Consol Cigar	98¾	97¾	98¾	97¾
Cons Gas N Y	105¾	104¾	105¾	107¾
ConGasNY pf	99¾	99¼	99¾	99¾
Cons Textile..	5	4¾	5	4¾
Contcorp Cal..	10¾	10¼	10¾	10¼
Cont Bak A..	48¾	47¾	48¾	48¾
Cont Bak B..	9	8¾	9	8¾
Cont Can	61	60	61	59¾
Cont Ins	86¾	86¼	86¾	86¾
Cont Motor..	17¾	17¼	17¾	17¼
Corn Prod....	90	89¾	90	90¾
Coty Inc n..	72¾	71¼	72¾	72¾
Crucible Steel	94	93	94	94
Cuba Cane ..	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	4⅜
Cuba Cane pf	16¾	15½	15¾	16⅜
Cuba Co	12½	12	12½	12¼
Cuban Am S..	16¼	16	16	16
Curtis A & M	143¾	138¾	141¾	142
Curtiss Aero..	63	60	62¾	60
Cuyamel Ft....	60	60	60	60
Davison Chem	57¾	57¼	57¾	57½
Del & Hudson	194¾	193¾	194¾	194¾
Del Lack & W	127¾	126	127¾	127
Dome Mines ..	25¾	25¼	25¾	25½
Drug Inc	115¾	115	115¾	115
Du Pont deb..	118	118	118	118
Eaton Kodak..	61	61	61	60
Elsenlohr	95	89	95	90
ElcingonSchild	36½	36¼	36½	37¾
Elec Auto Lite	125¾	125	125¾	125
Electric Boat..	12¾	12¼	12¾	12¾
Elec Pow & Lt	47	46¾	46¾	46¾
Elec Storage B	51¾	51¼	51¾	51¾
Emrsn Rn A ..	15¾	14¾	15	15
Endicott J....	79	79	79	79
Equit Pub Ser	47¾	47¼	47¾	47¾
Equitable Bldg	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¼
Erie	71¾	69¾	70½	69¾
Erie 1st pf..	43¾	43¼	43¾	43¾
Eureka Vac Cl	45¾	45¼	45¾	45¼
Evans Wine..	43¾	42¾	43¾	43¾
Fed Lt & Tr..	68¾	67¾	68¾	67¾
Fed Motor Tr	19¾	19¼	19	19¼
Fed Ph Pow..	103	102	103	102
First Nat St..	67¾	67¼	67¾	67¾
Fisk Rubber..	14¾	14¼	14¾	14¼
Fisk Rub 1 pf	62¾	62¼	62¾	62¾
Fleischmann..	78	77¾	78	77¾
Follansbee Bro	61¾	60¾	61¾	60¾
Fonsbensbne St	14¾	14¼	14¾	14¼
Foundation ..	48	48	48	49
Fox Film A..	94½	93	94	95
Freeport Tex..	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Gabriel Snubs	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
Gardner Mot..	15¼	15	14¾	14¾
Gen Am Tank	59¼	57¾	59¼	58¾
Gen Asphalt..	74¾	74¼	74¾	74¾
General Cable	37¾	37	37¾	37¾
Gen Cable A..	67¾	67¼	67¾	67¾
Gen Cigar	64¾	64	64¾	64¾
Gen Electric..	28¾	28¼	28¾	28¾
Gen Elec spl..	114¾	114	114¾	114
Gen G & E A..	65	65	65	67
Gen Motors ..	197¾	195¾	197¾	197¾
Gen Mot n wi	78¾	77¾	78¾	76
G Outdr Adv..	33	32	33	33
Gen Rail Sig..	109¾	108¾	109¾	109¼
Gen Refrac..	73¾	73¼	73¾	73¾
Gen Rty Mills	54¾	53	54¾	53
Gillette S Raz	116¾	115	116	115¾
Gimbel Bros..	47¾	46¾	44¾	45
Gold Dust n..	28¾	28¼	28¾	28¾
Gimbel Br pf	89	88	—	89¾
Glidden Co ..	35¼	34¾	35	35¼
Gobel, Adolf..	42¾	42¼	42¾	42¾
Gold Dust ...	139	135½	139	136¾
Goodrich	105¼	97	105	99
Goodyear	115¾	113¾	115¾	113¾
Gotham Hose..	79¾	78¾	79¾	79¾
Graham-Pge..	50¼	50¼	50	50
Granby	88¾	87¾	88¾	87¾
Grand Un pf	52¾	52¾	52¾	53
Gt Northn pf	116¼	105¾	109	110
Gt Nor Ore..	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
Gt Nor Ore	29¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
G W Sug	36¾	36¼	36¾	36
Guantan Sug..	11¾	11¼	11¾	11¾
Gulf Sta Stl..	65¼	65¼	65¼	65¼
Hartman A..	64¾	64¼	64¾	64¾
Hartman Cp..	20¾	20¼	20¾	20¾
Hawaiian Pine	62¾	62¼	62¾	62¾
Helme	166	165	166	165
Hershey Choc..	66¼	65¼	65¼	65¼
Hollander & Sn	20¾	20¼	20¾	20¼
Homestake M..	75¾	75¼	75¾	—
Howe Prod....	75	75	75	—
Houston Oil ..	87¾	83	86¾	83½
Howe Sound..	76¾	76	76¾	76¾
Hud & Man ..	52	52	52	52
Hudson Motor	88¼	88	88¼	87¾
Hump Motor..	17¾	17¼	17¾	17¾
Ind Oil & Gas	34¾	32¾	34¾	35¼
Indep Oil rts	1¼	1¼	1¼	—
Indian Motor..	73	73	73	—
Indian Refg ..	29	28¾	29	29¼
Inland Steel..	76¾	75	76¾	76
Inspiration ..	51¾	51¼	51¾	51¾
Int Rap Tran	48¾	48	47	47
Intercon Rub	11	10¾	11	11
Int Harv	71¾	70¾	71¾	71¾
Int B Mach..	158¾	151	152	151
Inter Cement	93¼	91	92¾	93
Int Comm	31¾	31¼	31¾	31¾
Int Hrvstr pf	91¾	91¼	90¾	90¾
Int Match pf	96¼	96	96	96¼
Int Mer M pf	91¾	90¾	91¾	91¾
Inter Paper..	58¾	58¼	58¾	58¾
Int Paper A..	30¾	29¾	30¾	28¾
Int Paper B..	29¾	29¼	29¾	29¾
Int Paper Cap	12¼	12	12	12¼
Int Nickel Can	42¾	41¾	42¾	41¾
Int Print Ink	31¾	31¼	31¾	31¾
Int Ry C A..	50¼	50¼	50¼	50¼
Int Silver	51¾	51¼	51¾	51¾
Int T & T....	191¾	189¾	191¾	190
Johns Manv..	190	178¾	190	178¾
Jones&Laugh..	97¾	97¼	97¾	97¾
Kan City So..	87¾	86¾	87¾	86¾
Kaufman Strs..	29¾	29¼	29¾	29¾
Kayser Julius	69¾	68¾	69¾	68¾
Keith-Albee..	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Kel Spg Tire..	41¾	41¼	41¾	41¾
Kel Hay Wh ..	44¾	44¼	44¾	44¾
Kelvinator ..	16¾	16¼	16¾	15¾
Kenwood Cop..	15¾	15¼	15¾	15¾
Kolster Radio	71¾	68¾	71¾	70¾
Kreft Phnx Ch..	36¾	36¼	36¾	37
Kress S H	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Kroger G&B..	117¾	116	117¾	116¾
Kresge & Tol..	36¾	35¾	36¾	36¾
Kresge & Wash	57¾	57¼	57¾	57¾
Lambert & Co..	129¾	127¾	129¾	128¾
Lee Tire	22¾	21¾	22¾	22¾
Lehigh Port Cem	75¾	74¾	75¾	74¾
Lehigh Valley..	95¾	94	95¾	96¾
Lehn & Fink..	38¼	38¼	38¼	38¾
Life Savers ..	38½	38½	38½	38½
Lig & Myers B	118¾	116¾	118¾	118¾
Liq Carb pf..	107¾	107¼	107¾	107¾
Liquid Carb ..	101¼	99¾	101¼	101
Loew Inc	63¾	62¾	63¾	62¾
Loft Inc	63¾	62¾	63¾	62¾
Loose Wiles..	67¾	65¾	66¾	67
Lorillard	29¾	28¾	29¾	28¾
Louisiana Oil	14¾	14¼	14¾	14¾
Lou G & E A..	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Lou & Nash..	145	143	145	144
Ludlum Steel..	27¾	27¼	27¾	27¾
Mack Truck ..	104¾	101	104	103¾
Macy R H	102¾	101¾	102¾	102¾
Manhat M G..	54	53¾	53¾	53¾
Manhat Shirt	33¼	33	33¼	33
Market St y p	33¼	32¾	33¼	33¼
Marland Oil..	41¾	40¾	41¾	40¾
Marlin Rock..	71¾	70¾	71¾	70¾
Martin Parry	18	17¾	18	17¾
May Dept St..	94¾	93¼	94¾	94¼
Maytag Co ..	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
McCall Corp..	76	76	76	76
McKes	71¾	70	71¾	71
McKsp & Rb..	50¼	49¾	50¼	49¾
McK & R pf..	60	59	59¾	60
McCrory	101¼	101	101¼	101¼
McCrory S...	101¾	100	101	100
Mengel Co	30½	29¾	30¼	30¼
Mex Seab Oil..	65	59¾	63¾	62
Miami Copper..	27¾	26¾	27¾	27¾
Mid Cont Pet	37¾	36¾	37	36¾
Mid States O..	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Mid Stl Oil rt	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Miller Rubber	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
Minn & S L..	3¾	3¼	3¾	3¾
Mo K & Tex..	53¾	52¾	53¾	53¾
M K & T pf..	102¾	102¼	102¾	102¾
Mo Pacific ..	62	61¾	61¾	61¾
Mohawk Carpet	71¾	71¼	71¾	71¾
Mohawk Crpt pf	79¾	77¾	79¾	77¾
Montg Ward..	159	153¾	157¾	142
Mont Ward pf	253	251	253	250
Moon Motor ..	6¾	6¼	6¾	6¾
Mother Lode ..	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Motion Pict ..	134¾	132	134¾	133¾
Moto-Meter ..	24	23¾	24	23¾
Motor Prod ..	170	170	170	172½
Motor Wheel ..	41¾	41	41¾	41
Mullins Mfg ..	79¾	77¾	79¾	77¾
Murray Corp..	70	67¾	69¾	70
Nash Motor ..	89¾	88¾	89¾	89½
Nat Acme	21¾	20	20¾	21¼
Nat Bel Hes..	28¾	220	229	220
Nat Biscuit ..	184¾	182	184	182
Nat C Reg A..	95¾	93¾	95¾	95¾
Nat Dairy P..	127	123¾	127	123¼
Nat Distillers	47¾	46¾	47¾	46¾
Nat Enam & S	54	52¾	54	52¾
Nat Lead	131¾	125¾	131¾	127
Nat Pwr&Lt..	48	47¾	48	42¾
Nat Radiator..	16	15¾	15¾	16
Nat Supply ..	135	133¾	135	136
Nat Surety ..	248	245	248	250
New Con Cop..	38¾	35¾	38¾	35¾
NY Air Brake..	70¾	69¾	70¾	70¾
NY Cent....	188¾	187¾	188¾	187¾
NYC & St L..	131	131	131	131
NY N H & H..	70¾	69¾	70¾	71½
NY Ont & W..	28¾	28¼	28¾	28¾
Nord & West..	190¼	190¼	190¼	191
North Am	124	123	124	124
North Amer..	90¾	89	90¾	90¾
Nor Pacific ..	108	107	108	107¾
Nor Pac rts ..	101	101	101	101
Oil Well Sup..	30¾	29¾	30¼	30¾
Omnibus	43	42	43	42¾
Open Col	75¾	75¾	77¾	77¾
Otis Elev	28½	28¼	28¾	28¾
Otis Steel ..	25	25	25	25
Owens Bot ..	79¾	79	79	79
Pac Gas & El..	54	53¾	54	53¾
Pac Lighting..	73¾	73	73¾	—
Pac Oil	71¼	71	71¼	—
Packard Mot..	147¾	143¾	147¾	148¼
Pan Am Pet ..	63¾	62¾	63¾	63¾
Pan Am P B..	48¾	47	48¾	47¾
Pan Am W B..	17	16¾	16¾	17
Par Fa Lsky..	53¾	50¾	53¾	50¾
Park & Tilford	87	86	87	87
Park Utah M..	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Parke Dav ..	45¾	45	45¾	45¾
Pathe Ex A..	26	25¾	25¾	26
Pat & Rr A..	35¾	35¼	35¾	35¾
Penick Ford..	36¼	36	36¼	35¾
Penn D Cem..	20¾	20¾	20¾	21
Penn R R	40¾	40¼	40¾	40¾
Penn R R	72¾	72	72¾	72¼
Pere Marq..	147¾	146	147¾	—
Phila Co	53¾	53¼	53¾	53¾
Prairie Oil ..	61¾	60¾	61¾	61
P R C & I..	91¾	90¼	91	90¾
Philip Morris..	81¾	80¾	81	80¾
Phillips Pet..	44¾	43¾	44¾	44¾
Pierce Arrow..	32¾	32¼	32¾	32¾
Pierce Arrow..	32¾	32¼	32¾	32¾
Pierce Oil	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Pierce Oil pf..	8	8	8	8
Pills Fluor Inc	51¾	50¾	51¾	51¾
Pitts Coal	14	12¾	14	13¾
Pitts Ft Stl..	107¾	104¾	107¾	107¾
Pitts & W Va	142	142	142	143¾
Port R Toh B	38¾	37¾	37¾	38
Postum Cer..	71¾	70¾	71¾	71¾
Press S Car n	22	20¾	22	20¾
Produce & Ref	22¾	22¼	22¾	22¾
Public Ser ..	120	119	120	120
Pullman Inc..	83¾	82¾	83¾	83¾
Punta A Sug..	19	19	19	19
Pure Oil	34¾	33¾	34¾	34¾
Purity Bakers	128	125	125¾	127¾
Radio Corp..	370	347	357	356
Radio-Keith..	39¾	38¾	39¾	39¾
Reading	105¾	103¾	104¾	106
Real Sil H Mi	53¾	53¼	53¾	53¾
Reis & Dun..	32¾	32¼	32¾	32¾
Rels & Co pf	84	84	84	84
Rem Rand....	29	28¾	29	29
Rem Motor....	75¾	75¼	75¾	75¾
Repub Steel..	81	79	81	79¾
Rey Sprin	101¾	101¼	101¾	101¾
Safeway Str..	103¾	102¾	103¾	103¾
Reyn'ds Tb B	155	154½	155	155
Reyn'ds Tob	155	154	155	155
Richfield Oil..	45	44	45	44¾
Rossia Insur..	238	238	238	241½
Royal Dutch ..	48¾	47¾	48¾	48¾
Royal Pak P..	49¾	47¾	48	48
Ruberoid	49¾	48¾	49¾	49¾
Ruppert Jac..	64¾	64¼	64¾	65
Safeway Stores	103¾	102¾	103¾	103¾
Savage Arm n	45¾	44	44¾	44¾
Schulte St....	38¾	37¾	38	38¾
Seaboard Oil..	47¾	46¾	47¾	47¾
Sears Roeb..	180¼	171	180¼	174
Seneca Co	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
Servel Corp ..	28¾	27¾	28¾	28¾
Shell Un Oil..	28¾	27¾	28¾	28¾
Shubert Cor..	23¾	23¼	23¾	23¾
Simms Pet	22¾	22	22¾	22¾
Simmons	94¾	89	94¾	91¾
Skelly Oil	35¾	35¼	35¾	35¾
Snider Pack..	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
So P S S pf..	113¾	113¼	113¾	113¾
So Cal Edison	53¾	52¾	53¾	52¾
So Dairy A..	41¾	40	41¾	40
So Dairy B..	41¾	40¾	41¾	40¾
Sou Pac	124½	124¼	124½	125¼
Sou Rv	147¾	146¾	146¾	147
Spang Chal ..	50¾	49¾	50¾	49¾
Spicer	50¾	49¾	50¾	48¾
Spiegel May S	82	79	81¾	80
Stand Brands..	39¾	39¼	39¾	39¾
Stand G & E	80¾	78¾	80¾	78¾
Std G & E pf	65¾	64¾	65¾	65¾
Stand Inv	44¾	43¾	44¾	44¾
Stand Oil Cal	71¾	70¾	71¾	72
Stand

Is Wholesale Dismissal of Old Workers Justice?

By B. C. FORBES

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—A very able business man recently was elected president of a large corporation. Almost immediately stories became current of wholesale dismissals. Not only were changes made among higher-ups but almost as rapidly as New York's new Police Commissioner, Grover Whalen, has been making them, but statements flew thick and fast concerning the trend to a number of ordinary employes being laid off. And it was added that the older workers, especially the older workers, were faring worst of all.


B. C. Forbes.

When a new man or a new management takes hold of a large enterprise, what is the right attitude for him to take toward the working force?

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I was able to watch this new president only for a moment, and this was as far as our conversation went:

"I have been getting lots of complaints about the ruthless way you have been knocking heads off," I told him.

"It is the worst over-manned company I have ever seen. Even in my life—worse than anything I would have believed possible. I found it overmanned from top to bottom," he declared.

"I am not worrying about those at the top, because they probably are in a position to take care of themselves," he replied. "But what about the poor devils at the bottom, especially the older men who will stand very little chance of getting other jobs?"

"We supply a public necessity something the public have to buy from us" he explained. "I feel that the public are entitled to be supplied at the lowest possible cost. I have already reduced the prices and I feel sure that I will be able to effect so many more economies that prices can be reduced still more."

"But how about the old fellows? I am told you don't pension them."

At that moment a telephone bell rang and all he had time to say was: "I would like to talk over the whole situation with you very shortly."

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I am looking forward to the promised talk, because, frankly I cannot quite understand, without fuller explanation why this concern is so much I always regarded as of the highest type, can justify throwing on the streets scores, if not hundreds, of old employes without making the slightest provision for their blue future—provided, that is, the stories circulated are correct.

Take this particular corporation. It is true that the public have to use its product. Admittedly, therefore, it is extremely important that the cost to the public should be reduced to the utmost practicable limits consistent with the decent treatment of those working to produce it and of the stockholders.

But this enterprise has been very successful and its stockholders have been receiving at least an average return on their money.

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To whom does an employer, or chief executive, owe his first duty? Is it to the public?

Is it to his stockholders?

Is it to his workers?

In the old days such a question would have been foolish, because it was then the rule to put stockholders' interests first and to give little thought either to the public or to employes.

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But has not American civilization, have not the American ideals, have not the most enlightened American employers advanced from the stage where they feel that their first responsibility is to their own workpeople? Does not American public opinion now favor the concern that so treats its workers that they shall become part and parcel of their organization, but become loyal American citizens? Does not American public opinion approve of those who manufactures malcontents, socialists, soviets?

Is it your opinion that the American people, as a whole, want any business enterprise to cut its prices to a point where it cannot make decent provision for its own workers?

Do not, rather, the great majority of our fellow beings desire to see industry and business so managed that workers shall be treated with every reasonable consideration?

Have we not, in fact, reached the point where the public endorse rather than condemn the providing of seasons for and superannuated workers by our big, powerful, profitable corporations?

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Of course, how far an enterprise can go in the generous treatment of its workers is governed by its own financial circumstances. No business can pay out more than it takes in. Yet, the feeling is rapidly developing in this country that any concern which is chronically unsuccessful, and so unable to treat its work-people decently, does not deserve to live.

The whole subject of the attitude employers should take towards their workers is of supreme importance. It demands further discussion.

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SEIBERLINGS OFFER VARIED PROGRAM

By FRED TOYE
Radio Editor

A COUPLE OF WEEKS AGO, I innocently predicted that the Selberling Singers would do vocal excerpts from "Naughty Marietta" and other whoppers gathered here and there. Apparently Messrs. Melton and associates failed to take paper that day, for they went blithely ahead with the "berooze" from Joselyn and a miscellaneous assortment, none of which came within a mile of what I had announced. Nevertheless, they sang beautifully and here goes for a forecast for tonight. The languishing Melton will do the alluring serenade, "Salut Demeure, Chaste et Pure," from "Faust." If that is not syrupy enough, he'll probably serve up "Macushla, Macushla Again and Again," or whatever those profound lyrics are. The international touch will be amplified with songs of the "Oh Lordsky" and "Dooby Trail" type, interspersed with "La Paloma," "When You Were Sweet Sixteen," "Comin' Home" and "When the Profundo Sang Low 'C.'" Who could ask more? Oh, yes! WEEI at 9.

BRUNETTES HAVE IT

THEY'VE GOT A BLONDE to come in front of the microphone and inform the hysterically curious public that brunettes have the edge on all the rest of the sex for the personal pronoun, neuter. The lady who is going to brave the wrath of all her sister Magnolenes, not to speak of the Mary Gardens, Mary Queen of Scots, Queen Elizabeths, Helens of Troy and other flamboyant copperheads, is Helen Dryden, illustrator and fashion artist. You can hear all about it over WBZ in the Leha and Fink broadcast at 5 o'clock tonight.

TENOR AND VIOLINIST

RUTH BRETON, violinist, and Allan Jones, tenor, will be featured in tonight's Sonora Hour at 8 o'clock over the Columbian chain. The program lists Miss Breton's selections as "Hymn to the Sun" from "Coq d'Or of Rimsky-Korsakoff, in which she will be accompanied by the Sonora Symphony Orchestra and "Tambourin Chinois" and "La Gitana," both compositions of Fritz Kreisler. In the last two Miss Breton will be assisted by the pianist, Walter Golde. Jones has chosen "La Donna e Mobile" from the opera "Rigoletto" of Verdi; Liszt's "Liebestraum" and Victor Herbert's "I'm Falling In Love With Someone." from "Naughty Marietta." A violin and tenor duet has been arranged for Miss Breton and Mr. Jones, "O Cease Thy Singing, Maiden Fair" by Rachmaninoff.

Tried to Die, Fails

Gloucester, Dec. 27—Thomas Burke of Stonington, Ct., is in a serious condition in Addison Gilbert Hospital as a result of taking poison in an attempt at suicide. Doctors who treated him believe that he will recover.

RADIO FLASHES GREETINGS TO EAST INDIANS

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 27 (AP)—A special radio broadcast intended for reception in Calcutta, India, by the Indian Congress, which is now in session, went on the air from this city today under the auspices of the India Program, composed of natives of India living in this country.

The program was broadcast from WGY, the General Electric Company's station, operating on a wavelength of 379.5 meters, and from 2XAF, the experimental station of the company, with a wave length of 31.4 meters.

Greetings from the East Indians in this country to their fellow countrymen in India were broadcast by S. N. Ghose, secretary of the India Association of New York and David I. Walsh of Massachusetts were read. Senator Capland's message told of the bond of brotherhood which the American and natives of India find in their common Aryan ancestry.

Messages to the press of India were prepared for the broadcast by Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press; Karl A. Bickel, president of United Press Association; H. Stanford Hunt, head of Universal Service, and David Lawrence, editor of the United States Daily.

Old Autos Clogging Dumping Grounds

New York, Dec. 27 (AP)—One crying need of the ray seems to be a method of disposing of old automobiles. So many have been dumped secretly on vacant lots in the Bronx that the Board of Trade is discussing the problem. Sometimes the purchaser of realty has to pay $200 to have battered tonneaus removed.

Radio Rib Ticklers

WEEI—George E. Barker of East Boston, listening mornings, gets a true and "Tumbourin Chinois" and "La Gitana," both compositions of Fritz Kreisler. In the last two Miss Breton will be assisted by the pianist, Walter Golde. Jones has chosen "La Donna e Mobile" from the opera "Rigoletto" of Verdi; Liszt's "Liebestraum" and Victor Herbert's "I'm Falling In Love With Someone" from "Naughty Marietta." A violin and tenor duet has been arranged for Miss Breton and Mr. Jones, "O Cease Thy Singing, Maiden Fair" by Rachmaninoff.

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Tonight's Local Radio Programs

244 M.—WNAC

1:00—Silky Nights by the Fireside.
1:30—Newscasting; Temperatures; Elsie Hotel Organ.
7:15 p. m.—"Anne 'n' Andy."
7:30—Tent Orchestra.
8:00—Mason and Hamlin Concert.
8:30—Hawthorne Four.
9:00—"Sonora Hour."
9:30—Sonora Hour.
10:00—"Rosita" and His Friends at Pesaro."
10:30—Studebaker Motors program.
11:00—News; State Ballroom Orchestra.

508 M.—WEEI

1:00—Big Brother Club.
1:05—News; Big Brother Club.
7:00—Horace Partridge Sportsmen.
7:30—Coward Comfort Hour.
8:30—Fortune Teller.
9:00—Champion Sparkers.
9:30—Selberling Singers.
10:00—Halsey Stuart Hour.
10:30—Sports; News; Lido Venice Orchestra.

303 M.—WBZ

2:00—Master's "Smokes; Market reports; Weather.
3:00—News; Sinester's Tempters.
4:00—Political Highlights; Statler Orchestra; World Bookmen.
7:00—Statler Orchestra; Financial News.
7:30—John and Fink Serenade.
8:00—Champion Sparkers.
8:30—Lawrence Square and Compass Glee Club.
9:00—Maxwell House Hour.
10:00—Wayside Inn.

220 M.—WBET

6:30—Charles Dickstano and His Lawrentians.
7:00—Financial summary; news of the day &c. Lost and found. Dinner music Rita Carlow Hotel.
7:30—Orchestra; Albert E. Allen, tenor, William Ellis, violin, accomp.
8:00—Instrumental; Lloyd E. Hewes, violinist, accomp. by Floyd Sawyer; piano, Hal E. Root.
8:30—Patrick J. Gaffney and his Irish Entertainers.
9:00—Program arranged by Mayflower Club; Mrs. Mabel Kenn Billes and Michael Trapp, pianist.
9:30—Stella Frank Gray, concert pianist.
10:00—Chop Sticks Orchestra.
10:30—Studio program; Copley Plaza Band.

NEW ENGLAND

800 M.—WLOE—BOSTON

9:00 p. m.—Continental Radio Broadcast.
10:00 p. m.—Reece Trio.
10:30 p. m.—Dance Music.
10:31 p. m.—Continuation of Reece Trio.
11:00 p. m.—Boston Safe Deposits under the direction of Louis Cambridge.

896 M.—WBSO—WELLESLEY

2:00 p. m.—Forbes' or current topics.
4:00 p. m.—God Cheer Service with Musical selections, Scripture Reading, Sermon
12:15 Poetry, "Unity" and others.
12:00 midnight—Closing Announcements.

405 M.—WEAF—PROVIDENCE

6:00 p. m.—News.
6:05 p. m.—Mariners Ashore.
6:30 p. m.—Shubert Couple's Orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—Weathermen.
7:05 p. m.—"Lasses 'n' Lads."
7:25 p. m.—Tent Orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Tent Orchestra.
8:00 p. m.—Rhode Island Artists Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Son on Pineapple soap.
10:00 p. m.—Hoagint and his friends at Pesaro.
10:30 p. m.—Merry Maker.
11:00 p. m.—Dance Music.
11:10 p. m.—Arcadia Ballroom Orchestra.

337 M.—WJAR—PROVIDENCE

6:00 p. m.—News.
6:30 p. m.—Rhode Islanders Dance Band.
7:00 p. m.—Weather; Temperature.
7:30 p. m.—Coward Comfort Hour Feature.
8:30 p. m.—Forhan's Song Shop.
8:30 p. m.—Chiropractic Society Talk.
8:45 p. m.—James H. McKenney, tenor, accompanied by Violette Marks and the Melody Ramblers.
9:00 p. m.—Selberling Singers.
9:30 p. m.—Contraltones.
10:00 p. m.—Halsey-Stuart hour.
10:30 p. m.—Time; News.

500 M.—WTIC—HARTFORD

6:25 p. m.—Temperature; Program and News.
6:30 p. m.—Sea Gull Dinner Group.
7:00 p. m.—Piano Recital.
7:30 p. m.—Violin Selections.
7:30 p. m.—Coward Comfort Hour.
8:30 p. m.—Forhan's Song Shop.
8:30 p. m.—"Tone Color" presented by Ampico.
9:00 p. m.—Selberling Singers.
9:30 p. m.—Contraltones.
10:00 p. m.—Halsey-Stuart Co.
10:30 p. m.—Time; News.

NEW YORK CITY

454 M.—WEAF

6:00 p. m.—Waldorf-Astoria Dinner Music.
6:30 p. m.—Sonora Hour.
7:00 p. m.—Federation Hymn Sing.
7:30 p. m.—Coward Comfort Hour.
8:30 p. m.—Forhan's Song Shop.
9:00 p. m.—Halsey-Stuart Hour.
9:30 p. m.—Selberling Singers.
9:30 p. m.—Contraltones.
10:00 p. m.—Halsey-Stuart Hour.
10:30 p. m.—Merchants' Congress.
11:00 p. m.—Park Central Hotel Orchestra.

394 M.—WJZ

6:00 p. m.—Hotel Manger Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Symphony of Progress.
7:00 p. m.—Selbert's Ferrille.
7:30 p. m.—Hotels Hotel Orchestras.
8:00 p. m.—John and Fink Serenade.
8:30 p. m.—Champion Sparkers.
9:00 p. m.—Maxwell House Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Wayside Inn Hour.
10:30 p. m.—Fortune Teller.
11:00 p. m.—Studebaker Music.

297 M.—WHN

6:00 p. m.—Amoy Restaurant Orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—Pepper Pot Bohemians.
7:00 p. m.—Symphony Hour.
7:30 p. m.—Littmann's Entertainers.
8:00 p. m.—Will Oakland's Terrace.
8:30 p. m.—Evening Journal Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Wayside Inn Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Hotel Alamac Theater Orchestra.

422 M.—WOR

2:30 p. m.—Musical Program.
6:00 p. m.—Carillon; Newscasting; Stage.
6:30 p. m.—Sports.
7:30 p. m.—Orchestra; Fellowship.
8:00 p. m.—Concert Hour.
8:30 p. m.—WOR Stock Co.
9:00 p. m.—Symphony Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Little Symphony.
11:00 p. m.—Dance Music Hour.

348 M.—WABC

6:00 p. m.—Going to Press; Songs.
6:30 p. m.—Restaurant Music.
7:00 p. m.—Columbian Concert; Dogs.
7:30 p. m.—Tramp! Tramp! Tramp!
8:00 p. m.—Majestic Theatre Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Rosita and His Friends.
10:00 p. m.—Dance Music.

OUTSIDE STATIONS

370 M.—WFI—ATLANTIC CITY

5:30 p. m.—Organ recital; news.
6:00 p. m.—Musical programs.
9:15 p. m.—Concert orchestra.
10:00 p. m.—Subway Boys; studio.
10:45 p. m.—News; dance music.

492 M.—WFAN—BALTIMORE

6:00 p. m.—Sandman; dinner music.
7:00 p. m.—Gloria.
7:30 p. m.—Entertainers; Sparkers.
9:00 p. m.—Melodeers; House concert.
10:00 p. m.—Dance music.

345 M.—WOR—BUFFALO

6:00 p. m.—Weather and announcements.
6:15 p. m.—Sentimental Songs of the Week.
6:30 p. m.—Statler Orchestra.
6:45 p. m.—Sport and news items.
7:00 p. m.—Van Surdam's Statler Orchestra.
7:30—Tanks time.
7:30 p. m.—Statler Dance Band.
8:00 p. m.—Forhan's Song Shop.
8:30 p. m.—Lawrence Welk Dealers' program.
9:00 p. m.—Selberling Singers.
9:30 p. m.—Arcadia Dance Orchestra.
10:00 p. m.—Maxwell House Hour.
10:30 p. m.—Tanks time.
10:30 p. m.—Hoffman Federal hour.
11:30 p. m.—Time; weather, news.
11:40 p. m.—Listening-in with Lester.
12:00 mid.—Stan's Buffalo Symphonic hour.

204 M.—WGHW—Buffalo

6:15 p. m.—Dinner music.
7:00 p. m.—Organ music.
7:30 p. m.—Public Library talk.
8:00 p. m.—World Book Man; operetta hour.
9:00 p. m.—Columbia Broadcasting System.
11:00 p. m.—Falla Royal supper music.
11:30 p. m.—Falla Hall Dance dance music.

293 M.—KYW—CHICAGO

10:00 p. m.—Old Counselor.
10:30 p. m.—Apollo Male Quartet.
11:00 p. m.—News; Slumber Music.
12:00 mid.—Orchestra; Organ Program and News.

416 M.—WON-WLIB—CHICAGO

9:00 p. m.—Radio Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Musical Melange.
10:30 p. m.—Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—News; Popular.

447 M.—WMAQ—CHICAGO

6:00 p. m.—Orchestra; Musical Show.
10:00 p. m.—Musical Program; Pianist.
11:00 p. m.—Dance Music; Orchestra.
12:00 mid.—Dance Music.

344 M.—WLW-CINCINNATI

6:30 p. m.—Diners.
7:00 p. m.—Organists; Commerce.
7:30 p. m.—Orchestra; Sonorders.
8:00 p. m.—Dance Music.
9:00 p. m.—House Concert.
10:00 p. m.—Dance Music.
11:00 p. m.—Mail and Mail; Orchestra.
12:00 mid.—Dance Music.

390 M.—WTAM-WJAY—CLEVELAND

6:00 p. m.—Dinner Orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—Musical Programs.
8:00 p. m.—Studebaker Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Singers; Musical.
10:00 p. m.—Dance Orchestra.
11:00 p. m.—WRC-FIELD Hour.
6:00 p. m.—Alerton Trio.
6:30 p. m.—Peruvian Blue Flash Orchestra.
7:00 p. m.—Talk by F. Dwight Coster.
7:45 p. m.—Mid-week services of the I. S. A.
9:00 p. m.—Sonora Phonograph Hour.
10:00 p. m.—Sports Hall Room dance music.

252 M.—WMAQ—DETROIT

6:00 p. m.—Merry Makers.
11:00 p. m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
11:15 p. m.—Musical Melodeers.
11:15 p. m.—Ed Day and orchestra.

288 M.—WWJ—DETROIT

6:00 p. m.—Orchestra; Dinner Music.
8:00 p. m.—Concert Hour.
9:00 p. m.—Serenaders; Sparkers.

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9:00—WNAC—Sonora Hour.
9:00—WEEI—Selberling Singers.
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LARGEST EVENING
CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND

Every Policeman Knows

When a Play Is "Too Raw" for PUBLIC Performance

Because a play produced in Cambridge by young collegians and their girl friends did not meet the "common standards of decency of two policemen and one policewoman," it was barred in Boston.

The news columns have made every reader acquainted with the incident and all over the land Smart Aleck paragraphers have been enjoying a fiesta at the expense of "poor, benighted Boston."

The police, as usual, have been held up to ridicule as censors of the drama, when anyone with common-sense knows that they are more truly censors of smut.

In their latest drive against objectionable drama the authorities have found a champion or two; usually, there has been no one to come to their defense.

Where lies the evil in immoral plays, and in what way is the police officer—or any other plain everyday citizen—qualified to detect it?

Professor Edwin Herbert Hall, of Harvard University, answers these questions in a letter to the Boston Herald from which we take a single illuminative paragraph:

"The evil in immoral plays is not so much in any one line or any one incident as in the general atmosphere, the general appeal to the imagination of the audience. It is not enough, nowadays, to have adultery suggested in a play. The audience must be given to understand that the act is occurring just at this instant, just behind that door or curtain, and that the participants will presently appear again on the stage. When things have come to such a pass, the robust common-sense judgment of an average policeman as to what is decent, what he would be willing to have his wife or his daughter see and hear, may well be worth having."

We believe Professor Hall expresses opinions which are shared by a majority of the people of Greater Boston.

Far from being snoopers or kill-joys, the police officers of the metropolitan district are tolerant and broad-minded men, not unacquainted with the theater. When a show proves shocking to THEIR sense of decency, it must be pretty raw.

John Golden, a theatrical producer who has made millions out of clean and wholesome drama, in an interview the other day said that the reason so many theaters are "dark" and so many thousands of players out of employment is that the public has turned from the theater in disgust. Sex-stuff, according to Mr. Golden, has been overdone.

To save itself, in other words, the theater must turn to the right.

Our young friends of college theatricals should endeavor to keep up with the procession. It is long after sex o'clock in the theater and they ought to know it.

Absent Treatment

What "Bossy" Has Done for Newburyport

Notwithstanding the fact that His Honor the Mayor has been away a great deal—or because of it, perhaps—Newburyport in one year under "Bossy" Gillis has:

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Reduced the funded debt $67,000, and
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The moral may be that any little city can climb out of debt and find the way to Easy Street by picking out a town "character"—preferably with red hair, the gift of gab and a thick skin—and placing him in the mayor's chair.

Judging beauty contests, ballyhooing for land sales, and an occasional week in "big" or "small time" picture houses, will keep the lad away from home—a longer engagement will help, of course—and the City Auditor and other responsible officials will be able to get in a lot of work.

Newburyport is lucky.

Sunshine Is Health

Remember It, for Your Children's Sake

CHILDREN IN THE SUNSHINE

This picture shows part of a row of little children at Sunnyside, L. I. Doctors say sunshine is almost as important to the health of the body as fresh air itself. Sunnyside realizes it, and dresses the children accordingly. Here you see a few of the youngsters on their way to good health.

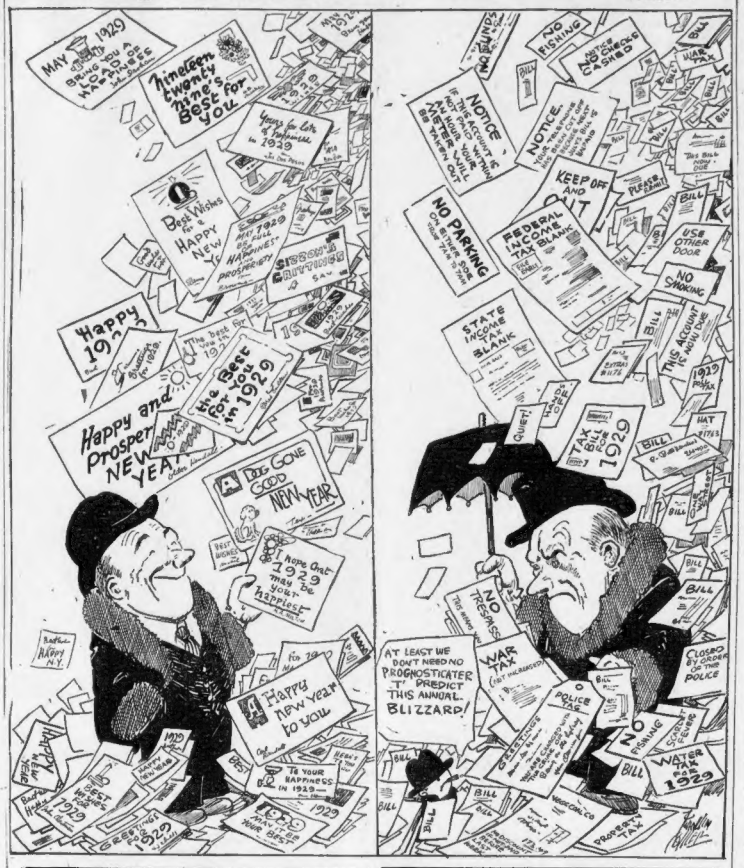
Get your children into the country, get a little place in the far country or suburbs, let your children have fresh air, sunshine, exercise, FREEDOM.

The city is NOT a place in which to bring up children.

One of the best things ever written about children is: "God may forgive you for not giving food that costs money. He will not forgive you for depriving them of sunshine and fresh air that cost nothing."

Our Changeable Climate

By FRANKLIN COLLIER



New York Day by Day

By O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—The upstairs employment agencies dotting Sixth ave. below 42d st. form one of New York's economic question marks. Huddled groups are always scanning chalked bulletin boards out front. Then drift to Bryant Park to salvage a snipe and a discarded newspaper.

The biggest crowds clot there in the early morning before New York is ready for business of the day. Although a drifting army of unskilled labor, it is selective in its quest for the job. Sociological workers find the untrained are the most independent of all workers.

The greatest chronic floaters are hotel workers—dish washers, hall men and bus boys. They like to go from job to job and city to city. In the cafe belt in the Forties there is always a heavy demand for kitchen assistants and bus boys which is never supplied.

Few remain more than several weeks in one place. Then they loaf awhile and go back again to inspect the employment agency bulletin boards. They sleep in the flop houses, eat in the coffee houses and depend on charity for clothing. Peculiarly enough, most are temperate.

While a percentage of the employment agency customers are those jobless by some perverse fate over which they have no control, the great majority are those who work merely to appease the trinity of necessity—food, shelter and clothing.

On the bulletin boards one finds hints of romance in far away corners such as "Stevedores for Alaska"—"Lumber Loggers for Seattle"—"Cooks for tramp steamers to the Orient"- "Mine Workers for Montana" and a variety of other hardy leaks calling for men of brawn and daring.

There seems to be an indefinable lure to employment bureau signs. Men who really have no desire or inclination for work will hustle out at daylight to inspect the freshly listed jobs. Then they mope off—back to some idle bench to dream the day away.

UPPER Sixth ave. since the gloomy overhead "L" spur was removed above 53d st. crackles with increasing opulence. It has acquired a rue de la Paix manner with its jewelry, millinery and smart specialty shops. The beautiful white facade of the Ziegfeld theater swirls out like a billying sail in the breeze. Several hotels such as the Warwick, a rendezvous of the Hollywood galaxy, flaunt their magnificence. Windows have the glitter of Madison ave. Curbs are lined with those blocklong cars where the chauffeurs shiver out in the cold. Only those who know the blowzy dinginess of upper Sixth ave. six years ago can appreciate the sudden change. For years it was filled with Cheap John stores and perpetual receivership and fire sales and from the windows of upstair flats protruded an enternal row of frowzy heads.

POETS have remarked the beauty and glamour of that hour New York rarely sees. It is when dawn surmounts the mist—the lingering hiatus between the last lap of sleep and awakening. The city's heartbeat is sluggish and there is a languorous hush to the town. The skyline is crested with rare purples merging into a softly creeping pink. A slight mist envelopes as in a giant cannon and an early morning whistler or the clip-clop of a milk wagon horse may be heard blocks away. At no other time does the city seem so mysterious and provocative. And then with a booming the laughter and tears of a passing night are drowned in the rushing cascade of another day. All of which shows how staying out until daylight to entertain out-of-town friends affects a home boy.

THE noisiest time of day in the silly hamlet is at 9 o'clock in the morning. The voice of the city reaches crescendo. Every mechanical device—including an electrical massaging dingus the fool has next door—is in top speed to get the metropolis to work.

EDDIE CANTOR in his new play gets his biggest laugh when he asks a rough cowboy with a tenor voice if he paints lampshades, too.

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LISTEN, WORLD!

By ELSIE ROBINSON

I HAVE a frank friend—

He's always telling people "the truth about themselves for their own good"—

And he never can understand why this gets their goat.

"People ought to want to know the truth," he says.

Sure they should—

But there's a lot of difference in Truth—

No two people see Truth alike.

Your Truth may not be the other fellow's Truth.

In fact, it's almost a cinch that it isn't.

It's hard enough to determine the Truth about ourselves.

For we know less about our own selves than about any other subject on earth.

So how can we possibly decide what's right or wrong for the next chap?

We assume that our conscience tells us what is right or wrong—

Personally, I have grave doubts about the reliability of consciences—I've seen such cussedness put over in their name—

However, there may be such a thing—

And they may tell us, personally, what is right and wrong—

But they can't guarantee to give us the low-down on the other fellow's soul.

Consciences are not made in standard models—

They do not settle off quotations on current morality like a lot of stock tickers—

Each man must determine his own rating on righteousness and decide what risks he can take with the market—

This is his right—his most fundamental, sacred right.

He grows by the exercise of this right—just as he grows by doing his own eating and drinking and sleeping—

No one else can do it for him. He must buy his own experiences—make his own experiments.

His very blunders are more valuable to him than the other man's successes.

So it is not only rude but useless for us to try to tell other people "the truth about themselves for their own good"—

For it isn't THEIR Truth.

And it won't do them any good—

And, as a matter of fact, we generally don't want to do them any good, anyway. We just want to boss. And they know it. That's why they get sore.

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What Do You Know?

BOSTON'S ORIGINAL KNOWLEDGE TEST

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Match opposites:

1—Solemnity. Believer.
2—Diminutive. Complex.
3—Agnostic. Bulky.
4—Simple. Tumult.
5—Stillness. Levity.

Do you know:

6—What French commander was killed in the Battle of Quebec?
7—What knight of the Court of Charlemagne was a famous hero of romance?
8—What poet has this inscription on his tomb:
"Blest be the man that spares these stones
And curst be he that moves my bones"?
9—What novel published in America just before the Civil War made its author at once famous?
10—What is the main use of chlorine today?
11—What American writer used the phrase, "This poor little one-horse town"?

Complete these quotations:

12—"Nearer, my God to Thee,
Nearer to Thee;
E'en though it be a ——
That raiseth me."—Adams.
13—"Backward, turn backward, O Time, in your flight."—Allen.
14—"The —— is worse than the disease."—Rasco.
15—"Variety's the very spice of ——."—Cowper.

See tomorrow paper to verify your results. Answers to yesterday's test:

1—Queen Elizabeth, who was known as "The Virgin Queen." 2—Montana. 3—Arizona. 4—Galvanized iron. 5—Ammonia. 6—Wood pulp. 7—By hammering and squeezing hot cast iron. 8—Arizona. 9—Aniline dyes. 10—William the Conqueror. 11—Florida. Holy faith. 13—Time. 14—Invention. 15—Fools.

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WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

Nothing is so fatal to religion as indifference, which is, at least, half infidelity. —Burke.

Sweet mercy is nobility's true badge. —Shakespeare.

A great thing is a great book; but a greater thing than all is the talk of a great man. —Disraeli.

When love and skill work together expect a masterpiece. —Ruskin.

Our Royal Relations

by Herbert Kaufman

The Manville-Bernadotte romance does not infringe upon any fiction copyright. The plot's entirely *original*.

Unlike most international marriages, odds of ancestry distinctly lie with the commoner.

Which clearly violates both *precedent* and George Barr McCutcheon-Anthony Hope *formulas*.

In "Graustark" and "Ruritania" love's young dream is always butting into morganatic laws, royal taboos and nuptial deadlines.

But in this case, *red, white* and *blue* blood runs deeper than *purple*.

According to society columns, the Manville family tree is not only rooted in Colonial history, but is a transplant from several aristocratic groves that flourished in Europe long before Plymouth Rock broke into the Blue Book.

It was boasting of distinguished branches when the Bernadottes were doffing *caps*, not donning *crowns*.

Sweden's reigning house is a very recent structure on *French* foundations.

Its sceptre graduated from one of the batons that every Napoleonic soldier carried in his knapsack, against the day he'd become a Field Marshal.

The first Bernadotte was a youthful crony of young Bonaparte and his Queen, an innkeeper's daughter to whom the Corsican offered a chance to be *empress* instead.

(Imagination loves to speculate upon the "ifs" of destiny had she accepted.)

When Napoleon was carving the vanquished Continent, he passed them a spare wing—after serving the *choicer* cuts of conquest to his brothers, whose administrative experience couldn't *digest* such rich fare.

Bernadotte moved to Stockholm and cannily stayed there while the exile from Elba staged his final comeback.

Probably on his *wife's* advice. She'd had *two* chances at a throne and wasn't likely to *gamble* on a *third*.

Count Folke is the second of her descendants to marry an American girl.

If the habit keeps spreading, Uncle Sam may *yet* have a gold-hatted nephew.

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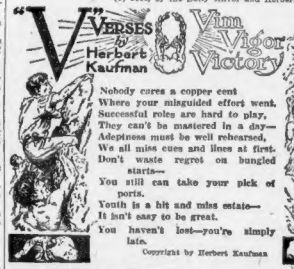
"V" Verses

by Herbert Kaufman

Vim Vigor Victory



Nobody cares a copper cent
Where your misguided effort went.
Successful roles are hard to play,
They can't be mastered in a day—
Adeptness must be well rehearsed,
We all miss cues and lines at first.
Don't waste regret on bungled starts—
You still can take your pick of ports.
Youth is a hit and miss estate—
It isn't easy to be great.
You haven't lost—you're simply late.

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THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By ALINE MICHAELIS

THERE are old threads which creep always
Into the web of song
That men have fashioned through their days
Down centuries dim and long.

Life is a thread of shining hue
And love a thread of gold,
We trace them all song's fabric through
While changeful years unfold.

The thread of youth, the thread of faith
In brightest tints appear,
And then the sombre thread of death,
With its dark brother, fear.

Old threads are these that all men weave
Into song's vital part,
And while men laugh and while men grieve
These threads will hold the heart.

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1. An agreement of English-speaking peoples to preserve peace among themselves and to promote the peace of the world.
2. Proportional representation in the United States Senate, no State to have less than two Senators. Legislation to enforce prompt reapportionment.
3. A separate Department of the Army, of the Navy and of the Air Forces, all united under a Secretary of National Defense.
4. Federal action to the limit of Federal powers to abolish illiteracy in the United States under a Secretary of Education.
5. Election of Congress in November. Installation on the 1st of January following. Inauguration of the President 1st of January next after November election.
6. A Federal Sales Tax, the income from which to be used in reducing other Federal taxation, particularly the Income Tax on earned incomes.
7. Reform of the Calendar Year, making thirteen equal months of four weeks each, and rearrangement of holidays to make them fall on Saturdays.